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WEATHER FORECAST—SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather with showers this afternoon and tonight; cloudy this afternoon, southeast wind.

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RUSSIA DECLARES HER VESSELS DESTROYED TWO WARSHIPS, ONE CRUISER AND ONE TORPEDO DESTROYER DURING THE BATTLE OF CHEMULPO

CHEMULPO, THE GREAT OPEN PORT ON THE WESTERN COAST OF KOREA, WHERE LEGATION GUARDS HAVE BEEN LANDED.

It is only twenty years since Chemulpo was opened to foreign trade, and today it possesses imposing-looking shops and a train service which connects it with the capital, Seoul, about twenty-four miles away. There is a Japanese, a Chinese, and a Korean quarter, and a general foreign quarter in Chemulpo. The Japanese is the best situated and the most promising. The number of Japanese is about 6000, while the Europeans number only about 100. In Chemulpo, as in all the ports of Koren which are open to foreign trade, there is a branch of the Imperial Korean Maritime Customs, an offshoot of the service which exists in China, under the administration of McLeavy Brown. The Emperor has lately sanctioned the grant of 1,000,000 yen from the Customs revenue for the provision of aids to navigation. Thirty-one lighthouses are to be built, the two earliest being placed upon Roze and Round Islands, off the entrance to the Han river, upon which Chemulpo stands. The worst point about the port is that the tide runs out some seven or eight miles, making the landing of troops there a difficult matter.

RUSSIANS SAY THEIR SHIPS MADE GREAT STAND.

Czar's Army Said to Be Marching on Seoul—Germany Will Police a Chinese City.

ST. PETERSBURG, FEBRUARY 19.—THE GOVERNMENT REPORT OF THE NAVAL ACTION OFF CHEMULPO, KOREA, FEBRUARY 8TH, SAYS THE RUSSIAN CRUISERS VARIAG AND KORIETZ SANK A JAPANESE CRUISER AND A TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYER AND CRIPPLED ANOTHER VESSEL BEFORE ENTERING THE HARBOR.

THE GOVERNMENT TODAY RECEIVED FROM THE OFFICERS OF THE VARIAG AND KORIETZ, WHO ARE NOW AT SHANGHAI, THEIR ACCOUNT OF THE FIGHT AT CHEMULPO. THE REPORT SHOWS THE ADMIRABLE HANDLING OF THE TWO RUSSIAN WARSHIPS IN THE FACE OF OVERWHELMING ODDS.

THE OFFICERS CONFIRM THE STATEMENT THAT WHEN THE JAPANESE SQUADRON OF EIGHT WARSHIPS APPEARED OFF CHEMULPO THEY WERE MET BY THE SMALL TORPEDO WAR BOAT KORIETZ, WHICH HAD BEEN SENT OUT TO RECONNOITRE; THAT THE KORIETZ, ON SIGHTING THE JAPANESE SQUADRON, IMMEDIATELY RETURNED TO THE HARBOR AND REJOINED THE VARIAG, AND THAT THE JAPANESE FOLLOWED TO THE MOUTH OF THE HARBOR AND SENT THE RUSSIANS PEREMPTORY SUMMONS TO SURRENDER.

THIS MESSAGE, THE OFFICERS SAY, WAS DISREGARDED, WHEREUPON THE JAPANESE THREATENED TO ENTER THE HARBOR AND ENGAGE THE RUSSIANS THERE.

AS THIS WOULD HAVE ENDANGERED THE OTHER VESSELS IN THE HARBOR, INCLUDING THE FRENCH AND OTHER FOREIGN VESSELS, CAPTAIN ROUNDNEF OF THE VARIAG, AS SENIOR OFFICER, BOLDLY GAVE ORDERS THAT BOTH VESSELS STEAM OUT AND MEET THE ENEMY.

THE FIGHT OUTSIDE BETWEEN THE VARIAG AND KORIETZ AND THE EIGHT JAPANESE WARSHIPS RESULTED, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICER'S REPORT, IN THE SINKING OF TWO JAPANESE WARSHIPS, ONE CRUISER AND ONE TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYER AND THE CRIPPLING OF A THIRD VESSEL.

THE RUSSIAN SHIPS WERE REPEATEDLY STRUCK, BUT THEY SUCCEEDED IN RE-ENTERING THE HARBOR, WHERE THE CAPTAINS DECIDED TO BLOW UP THEIR SHIPS TO PREVENT THEM FROM FALLING INTO THE HANDS OF THE ENEMY.

THE SURVIVORS OF THE CREWS WERE TAKEN OFF AND THE TWO WARSHIPS WERE SET ON FIRE. THE RUSSIANS ALSO BLEW UP A SMALL STEAMER, THE SUNGARI, WHICH WAS ACTING AS A TENDER TO THE VARIAG.

THE FEW ST. PETERSBURGERS WHO HAVE JUST HEARD THE AUTHENTIC NEWS OF THE CHEMULPO FIGHT ARE ELOQUENT IN THEIR PRAISE OF THE SKILLFUL AND GALLANT CONDUCT OF THE VARIAG'S CAPTAIN. THEY SAY HE INFLICTED ALL THE DAMAGE POSSIBLE TO THE ENEMY'S VESSELS AND THEN DESTROYED HIS OWN SHIPS. MORE THAN THAT A SAILOR COULD NOT DO IN THE FACE OF SUCH TREMENDOUS ODDS.

THERE IS NO QUESTION OF RUSSIA MAKING A PROTEST AGAINST THE JAPANESE ADMIRAL'S ATTACK AS A BREACH OF KOREAN NEUTRALITY, AS KOREA, BEING OCCUPIED BY THE JAPANESE TROOPS, HAD LOST HER NEUTRAL CHARACTER.

NEW YORK, FEBRUARY, 19.—REPORTS RECEIVED HERE FROM KOREA STATE THAT RUSSIAN TROOPS ARE ADVANCING TOWARD SEOUL AND THAT A STRONG POSITION AT PING YANG HAS BEEN OCCUPIED BY THEM, SAYS A HERALD DISPATCH FROM TOKIO.

THEIR PRESENT MOVEMENTS, HOWEVER, DO NOT INDICATE ANY IMMEDIATE INTENTION OF ATTACKING THE KOREAN CAPITAL. THE JAPANESE LEGATION IN SEOUL HAS BEEN GREATLY STRENGTHENED DURING THE LAST FEW DAYS.

RETREAT OF THE RUSSIAN FORCES.

PARIS, February 19.—Significance is attached to the Figaro's article discussing the possible retreat of the Russian forces from Port Arthur toward the north. The Figaro, which is intensely pro-Russian and enjoys the favor of the Russian court, says:

"The Russian note explaining the delays in the military operations has had the effect of confirming Viceroy Alexieff's plan to withdraw northward toward Mukden and Harbin."

The military editor of the Figaro declares this would be a wise and tactical movement, as the Russian troops are better able to make a stand further north.

TROOPS ON THE YALU RIVER.

HARBIN, Manchuria, February 18, Thursday.—The Russian troops are concentrated in the lower Yalu river valley. Everybody is in high spirits and daily expecting reinforcements.

The Russian people are leaving Manchuria on account of the dearness of provisions, all of which are required for the troops. The Manchuria, and especially the Trans-Blakal Railroads cannot cope with the question of transportation. Many are waiting at the stations, suffering from cold and hunger.

The rise in price is due to some extent to the fall in the value of paper money which, in some places, is altogether refused. It is expected that there will be sufficient supplies of bread, meat, butter, petroleum and fodder, but not enough sugar, preserved meats and linen, and that there will be a great scarcity of boots. It is not to be expected that such stores can arrive for some time.

The Manchurian Railroad officials have applied for extra allowances of provisions.

WILL HAVE A POLICE SYSTEM.

SHANGHAI, February 19.—It is reported in Wei Hsien, the most important city in the province of Shan Tung, that Germany has secured the right to inaugurate a uniform police system in all the cities of Shan Tung. The Chinese received the announcement favorably.

STRENGTHENING RUSSIAN POST.

PARIS, February 19.—A representative of the Matin, who has reached the center of the Russian military concentration at Harbin, after great hardships, due to the Trans-Siberian Railway trains being crowded with thousands of soldiers, in a dispatch from Harbin yesterday, confirms the announcement that that place will be the main base of the Russian operations. Thus far the base has succeeded in maintaining its communication with Port Arthur. The concentration of troops, the correspondent says, proceeds systematically and provision has been made for the speed arrival of

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MRS. DAVITT COMES TO OAKLAND.

Met By Rev. M'Sweeney But Does Not See Brother.

Mrs. Michael Davitt, niece of the late Mrs. Mary Canning, over whose estate there is a threatened contest and her four children arrived in this city last night from Dublin, Ireland, city last night from Dublin, Ireland. She registered at the Hotel Metropole.

According to the statement of William J. Yore, brother of Mrs. Davitt, it is very probable that a contest will be instituted to the will of Mrs. Canning, who disposed of immense interests without remembering her relatives. Mrs. Davitt is the wife of Michael Davitt the Irish leader. Her husband did not accompany her. She was formerly an Oakland girl. She is a sister of William J. Yore, and John M. Yore who will also probably be contestants to the will. Before anything definitely is settled on, however, a family conference will be held.

Mrs. Davitt was met at the train by Rev. Father McSweeney, pastor of St. Francis de Sales Church.

W. J. Yore does not know his sister is in Oakland.

NO CONSUL FOR U. S. AT DALNY

Russia Denies the Request of Secretary Hay.

WASHINGTON, February 19.—Secretary Hay has been notified that Edwin B. Morgan will not be granted an exequater by the Russian government, authorizing him to act as United States Consul at Dalny.

Mr. Morgan is now on his way from Washington to his post. He will sail from San Francisco and touch at Yokohama, at which point the State Department will be able to advise him a month hence what course to pursue.

This decision on the part of the Russian government was not altogether unexpected but it is nevertheless the subject of grave consideration by the State Department officials.

Secretary Hay regarded the matter of sufficient importance to warrant a personal visit to the White House today, where he represented the facts to the President.

It can be stated that up to this moment a decision has not been reached as to the answer to this made to the Russian government.

It is said that the reasons assigned for the declination to receive Mr. Morgan are entirely impersonal. In fact, Mr. Morgan, having been for several years one of the American secretaries of the Embassy at St. Petersburg, is really very popular with the Russian officials, who would be glad to receive him as a consul if other considerations did not forbid. It is explained that the reason for Russia's action is purely military, the army officers desiring that there shall be no foreign officials on the Liao Tung peninsula during the progress of hostilities.

THOUSANDS TAKE A LAST LOOK AT HANNA.

Impressive Funeral Services Held in Cleveland—Bishop Leonard's Tribute.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, February 19.—The last rites over the body of Senator Hanna were held this afternoon at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. During this solemn occasion Cleveland was silent. Nearly all business was suspended. Street railways and steam road traffic on every line in the city was stopped for five minutes from 1 to 1:05 o'clock. People generally in all parts of the city bowed their heads in reverance for a brief space of time at that hour.

Thousands who were unable to view the remains of the dead Senator as they lay in State in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium yesterday and today flocked to the church doors to witness the conveying of the black casket, bearing the remains of the Senator into the church. They stood there with bared heads and moist eyes as the cortege moved into the edifice where the last earthly tribute was paid the dead.

FUNERAL CORTEGE.

Promptly at noon the funeral cortege left the Chamber of Commerce building preceded by a platoon of police, for the church.

Following the police came Troop A, as guard of honor. Then came carriages containing the pallbearers, the Washington delegation, the Governor's staff, Chamber of Commerce Committee, Loyal Legion Committee and delegates representing various civic societies.

Prior to the removal of the body from the Chamber of Commerce to the church the wealth of floral offerings which were banked about the auditorium were removed to the church.

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JAPAN'S VIEW OF THE WAR.

Fully States Her Position to the Chinese Government.

TOKIO, February 19.—The response of Japan to the request of China for a state-

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NEGRO IS BURNED AT STAKE.

Killed Rich Planter and Was Speedily Executed.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., February 19.—Glen Bays, a negro, was burned at the stake today near Crosset, on the charge of murdering J. D. Stevens.

Stevens, who was a wealthy planter, had a few words with Bays yesterday. The negro later secured a shotgun and killed Stevens at close range. The negro then made his escape. Bloodhounds were secured and the negro traced to his father's house, where he was found hiding in a well. The murderer made a full confession.

With hands and feet tied, he was bound to a stake in his father's yard. Brush was piled around him, the torch applied and the man slowly burned to death.

Piso's Cure has cured coughs for many years. It is still on the market. At all druggists. 25c.

DOWAGER EMPRESS SAID TO HAVE PASSED AWAY.

LONDON, February 19.—A special dispatch from Canton says it is reported in official circles there that the Dowager of China is dead. The Chinese Legation here has heard nothing of the reported death of the Dowager Empress and discredits it. Neither Canton nor Hong Kong are reliable sources of news.

At Moran's

THERE ARE ABOUT 200

Men's Suits

THAT ARE WORTH FROM $11.50 TO $15.00. ALL ARE STYLISH, MADE OF GOOD MATERIALS, ARE SPLENDID BUSINESS SUITS, AND ALL SIZES ARE HERE—BUT WE WANT THE ROOM THEY OCCUPY, FOR THE NEW GOODS THAT ARE NOW ON THE WAY.
SO WE HAVE MARKED THEM AT

9.95

AND WE EXPECT TO SELL THEM ALL SATURDAY.

Moran's Overcoats

THESE WERE PRICED $10.00 AND $11.00 AND WORTH $12.50 BUT IT'S A LITTLE LATE IN THE SEASON, SO THE BALANCE ARE MARKED $6.95.
AT THIS PRICE THEY ARE WORTH BUYING EVEN FOR NEXT WINTER.

6.95

Children's Suits

WE ARE NOW SELLING ALL THAT REMAINS OF SOME GOOD LINES OF CHILDREN'S SUITS THAT WERE PRICED $4.00, $5.00 AND $6.00 FOR

2.50 MOTHERS--DON'T WAIT

J. T. MORAN

Oakland's Leading Overcoater

1017 Broadway Corner Eleventh

HE HAS DISAPPEARED.

Chief of Police Hodgkins was this morning requested to locate Alfred Hawkins, a carpenter who disappeared three weeks ago from the boarding-house of Mrs. E. Francis, 940 Thirty-fifth street. He left all of his effects there. He was also the only guardian of three small children who are at present at the home for children in Alden.

The missing man is said to have been of an industrious bent and his unexplained absence is a source of worry to his friends, who fear that he may have met with foul play or may have been accidentally killed.

TELEGRAPH SEWER.

Owing to the residents on Telegraph avenue north of Twenty-sixth street not fully comprehending the plans now being adopted for the sewering of that section of the city, City Engineer Turner has issued the following statement:

"The sewers on Telegraph avenue north of Twenty-sixth street are not intended to take storm water. During the recent rains this section of the town was overflowed. The overflow is due to the fact that the cross-town sewer now being constructed on Thirty-sixth street is not yet complete. When this sewer is completed Telegraph avenue will be relieved of the tremendous volume of water it has heretofore received. The cross-town sewer will take up all of the water which would naturally flow down the avenue."

Lace Curtains

Another fortunate Buy of Nottingham Lace Curtains enables us to put on sale an elegant line of Curtains.

All new and late patterns from 10 to 25 per cent less than regular price.

$2.25, $2.40 and $2.50 values for one week, special at

$1.98 pair

We have just received and will place on sale Monday a new line of

Granite Art Squares

all colors. A good reversible floor covering at a very low price.

Size—3 x 2½ yards, special..... $3.38
Size—3 x 3 yards, special..... $3.69
Size—3 x 3½ yards, special..... $4.08
Size—3 by 4 yards, special..... $4.58

Remnants of Matting

1½ to 10 yards worth from..... 25c to 35c yd.
Special to close..... at 12½c yd.

SALINGER'S

Southwest Cor. 11th and Washington

The House that Saves You Money

UNION LABOR NEWS.

LOG CABIN BAKERY WAGON DRIVERS TO RECEIVE HELP.

Local District Council of Teamsters are in receipt of a telegram from F. Markey, Pacific Coast organizer of the Teamsters' National Union, stating that he had communicated with national headquarters on the strike of the bakery wagon drivers in the Log Cabin bakery of Oakland. The telegram stated that the strikers would get strike benefits from the national body.

A committee, consisting of H. Hanning, P. Lenare, W. E. Greer, F. Higuera and Robert M. Smith, was appointed to visit the various unions and advocate patronizing the theatre party given by the union, February 24. Sub-committees were appointed to take charge of the benefit.

SPECIAL MONOLOGUE.

A special monologue will be given by J. B. McKeon at the benefit performance Wednesday evening, in Peck's Theatre, for the Federated Trades' Council. Magician Foran has been especially engaged for that evening.

The executive committee of the council report that the work on the benefit is going along satisfactorily and a large number of tickets are being sold.

Affiliated unions are taking considerable interest in the coming benefit.

CARPET MECHANICS.

The local Carpet Mechanics' Union met in Kohler and Chase Hall last night.

The union listened to a forceful address delivered by W. H. Leonard, in behalf of the striking miners of Colorado. At the close of his remarks the union made a liberal donation. One member was initiated by the union.

BARTENDERS WILL FIGHT.

In an effort to adjust their differences many concessions have been made by both the saloon owners and the bartenders, but the two bodies are far from an agreement. The saloon men are not bound by any agreement to sign the schedule proposed by the union.

A number of meetings have been arranged whereby the two organizations could come together but as yet nothing definite has been reached. The last meeting was scheduled for yesterday afternoon but it was poorly attended by the owners and it is not likely another meeting will be attempted.

After some discussion at yesterday's meeting, the bartenders agreed to allow the saloon men the right to hire whom they pleased to fill the places of the resting bartenders. An attempt was made to have the saloon owners as a body sign the remaining conditions of the agreement but this was not successful and the decision was finally reached that the saloon men could do as they pleased about signing the agreement. It is expected that a large number will sign especially those who depend on the laboring class for their business.

Every saloon keeper will be given an opportunity, by the bartenders, to sign the agreements, and those who decline to sign will be declared "unfair" and deprived of their union cards, which in effect will be declaring a boycott against such owners as refuse to sign.

PLASTERERS' UNION.

Ed Upton and B. C. Carney were received by the local union last night on transfer cards from Boston, Mass. George Roderford applied to the union for apprentices' privileges. J. T. Kerns was appointed alternating delegate, to the Executive Committee of the Building Trades Council, with A. Hillam.

PAINTERS BUY TICKETS.

A generous supply of tickets were purchased by the painters last night to the benefit to be given Wednesday evening. A grievance committee from San Francisco visited the union in reference to the trouble existing across the bay.

Two members were initiated.

TO ORGANIZE.

W. W. Slagle will organize the Blacksmiths and Blacksmiths' Helpers' Union at 158 Broadway, Sunday, at 1 p. m. C. H. Perry will speak at the meeting. It is expected that from fifty to sixty members will be taken in.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

The challenge issued by the Painters' baseball nine has been accepted by the Lumber Clerks' Union in behalf of the Building Trades Council. The Lumber Clerks have placed a certified check in the hands of J. B. Bowen as a guarantee of their intentions.

INSTALLED OFFICERS.

Councilman W. J. Baccus was installed president of the Bricklayers' Union at its meeting Wednesday evening, and A. Rolands vice-president. The other officers were A. Perry, secretary; D. Hughes, treasurer; Walter Carter, sergeant-at-arms; trustee, J. White; deputy, W. White; alternate deputy, E. Gregoire.

President Baccus made an extensive report of the work accomplished by the National Convention, to which he was a delegate. There was a great burst of applause when he announced that the next convention would be held in San Francisco.

Kidney Trouble

III.

When becomes chronic and serious; up to the discovery of Fulton's Compounds the kidneys were very little influenced by medicines. This is susceptible of proof. Let us explain: Kidney diseases may be divided into two great diseases, viz., those that get well of themselves, and those that linger (chronic), the latter being declared incurable.

During the first few weeks kidney disorders commonly get well with care, both with and without treatment. But in the second or chronic stage they were incurable, resisting all known treatment, it is in the first class in which they often get well of themselves that the records or cures have been made by popular medicines. But in the great second class or lingering form (commonly referred to by physicians as Bright's disease) there was no record of cures till Fulton's Renal Compound was discovered. Under its influence about 87 per cent of the chronics now yield.

The question here arises in the reader's mind, "Is my kidney trouble in the first or second stage?" This is the test—if the kidney trouble is found to have continued after the cold, sickness or first exciting cause has disappeared it is in the second or chronic stage. In many cases where lingering kidney trouble cannot be traced to any cause it is chronic with the very first symptom, the real cause being so remote that it cannot be connected.

If you have any kidney trouble whatever start right. Treat it seriously by taking Fulton's Renal Compound for Bright's disease. People are sending across the continent for this compound. Some late reports from supposed incurable cases are as follows: J. J. Schott & Co. of Galveston, Tex., report the recovery of D. R. Hawkins of 1525 Twenty-second street, that city. Dr. Emily Noble reports from the same city a patient of hers as recovering. Charles A. Newton, yardmaster of the S. P. R. R. Co. of Sacramento, reports the complete recovery of his son after the doctors said he could never be well again. E. T. Snow of 1815 Columbia avenue, Philadelphia, says his January increase in business is due to new physicians putting cases on it.

At all first-class druggists in this city. Send for literature and list of interior and Eastern agents.

Owl Drug Co., Thirteenth and Broadway; Osgood Bros., Seventh and Broadway; I. Tobriner, Seventh and Market.

Advance Styles in Millinery

Some new advance styles in our Spring Walker Hats have arrived by express from New York, and are on exhibition in our Millinery Department.

Two Silk Specials

36-inch Black Silk Taffeta, regular $1.35 quality. Saturday Special at **95c**

Crepe de Chenes, all silk, and all colors, best $1.00 goods money will buy; Saturday Special **85c**

Table Linens

Colored Fringe Linen Damask Table Sets; cloth 54x72; 18-inch napkins; regular $2.00 set; Special, set **$1.75**

TOWELS

H. S. Huchaback Towels, all linen, 20x40; regular 30c each; Special, each **25c**

PILLOW CASES

45x36 Ready-made Pillow Cases, made of Fruit of the Loom casing, regular 22½c each; Special, each **17 1-2c**

SHEETS

81x90 ready made Sheets, all ready for use, 3-inch hem, made of Pequot sheeting, each **75c**

For One Day Selling

Regular 50c Belts in black silk, with satin edge and gun metal harness buckle; Special **33c**

Beaded Chains, in all colors and styles, in braided and single strands, regular price 35c, 50c and 75c; Special price, each **19c**

35c Hose Supporters 20c pr

Satin Side Supporters, fancy frilled elastic, silver clasp in all colors; regular, pr 35c Saturday Special, pr **20c**

Special Saturday only

Special Saturday only—Black Leather and Chain Handle, Wrist and Automobile Purses, some fitted with inside hand mirror and smelling salts bottle; values up to 65c; we have placed them on sale, Special, for one day only at, each **33c**

ABRAHAMSONS

Oakland's Most Popular Store

The Spring Tailored Suits for Misses and Women

have made their debut with us

Simple elegance and unaffected grace are the attributes of beauty as Grecians saw it. Probably no modern dress period is so marked by the HELLENIC influence as that of 1830. The sloping shoulders the graceful curves at the waist and the ample folds of the skirt all attest to that. The suits come in walking and dress lengths. The fabrics that enjoy the greatest favor are Panama Cloths, Broadcloths, Fancy Mixtures, Voilles, Etamines, Venetians and Cheviots. The prices are modest and varied—from **$12.50 to $50.00**

New Spring Waists

You'll agree with us that a more charming or beautiful collection of Waist daintiness was never before on view. WE'RE GIVING SPLENDID VALUES to start the new 1904 season going briskly.

$1.50 Fine Lawn Waists at 95c

Made of sheer lawn, elegantly trimmed with lace or embroidery. Also white Cheviot Waists with large pearl buttons. Worth $1.50. ***Special 95c***

$2.50 Fine Lawn Waists at $1.50

Made of sheer lawn with yoke of Lace or Embroidery and trimmed down the front with Lace or Embroidery; full Bishop sleeve; 15 different styles. Worth $2.50. ***Special $1.50***

Muslin Underwear

Ladies White Muslin Drawers, with deep flounce trimmed with 2 rows of hemstitched tucks and wide hemstitched hem; last chance Saturday; Special **25c**

Ladies' white muslin Skirt with 20-inch flounce, trimmed with 3 rows of Valenciennes insertion and ruffle edged with lace to match, deep under flounce and dust ruffle; Saturday Special **90c**

One lot of Ladies' cambric Gowns with square and V yokes, trimmed with Valenciennes insertions and ruffle edged with lace to match, full length and width; Saturday Special **$1.13**

Ladies' white Muslin Skirts with deep flounce, made of fine white lawn, trimmed with 2 rows wide torchon insertion, and wide ruffle, edged with wide torchon lace to match, deep underflounce and dust ruffle, skirt made extra wide; Saturday Special **$1.25**

Ladies' muslin and cambric Gowns made full length and width, yokes trimmed with torchon lace and clusters of tucks, others trimmed with Hamburg insertions and hemstitched; all sizes, Saturday Special **94c**

Royal Worcester Corsets

Bon Ton Corset, Style 838, black and drab; Princess hip **$3.75**

No. 558 Corset, medium low bust, short hip straight front; all sizes; the regular $2.00 Corset. Special for limited sale **$3.75**

Royal Worcester Corset, style 513, Princess hip, black and drab **$1.50**

Princess hip, black, drab and white, style 568 **$2.00**

3 Interesting Leaders

6-4 Japanese Table Covers, regular 75c; Saturday Special, each **50c**

10 imported Japanese Portieres, imported to sell for $7.00 pair; Saturday, pair **$4.50**

Bobbinet ruffled Bed Sets, in white or Arabian, with Battenberg edge and insertion; a pretty Battenberg motif in center of spread, two small motifs in bolster piece; these were a drive at $5.50; Saturday at **$4.96**

Handkerchiefs

Ladies' all pure linen unlaundered, hand embroidered initial Handkerchiefs, of fine sheer linen; Saturday at **6 for 85c**

Ladies all pure linen unlaundered, hand embroidered, initial Handkerchiefs; Saturday at **6 for 60c**

Gents' all pure linen plain, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, our regular 20c quality; Saturday at, each **15c**

Ribbons

All-Silk Liberty Taffeta Ribbon, 3½ inches wide; colors in black, white, cream, blue, turquoise, nile, mais, lavender, navy royal, old rose and cardinal; Saturday Special, yard **12 1-2c**

Liberty Satin Taffeta Ribbon, 4 inches wide, in all colors; regular 30c quality; Saturday Special, yd **20c**

While they Last

450 pairs of $1.50 Oxford Pique Walking Gloves, at, pair **$1.00**

This is a very stylish as well as serviceable glove; comes in one large clasp to match color of kid; All shades; also white and black Saturday, pair at **$1.00**

Fitted and warranted.

Hosiery Specials

Children's fine grade fast black School Hose, seamless, triple knees, double heel, toe and sole; very elastic; made of good durable selected cotton; regular 25c goods; Special Saturday, pair **17c**

Ladies' fast black Richelieu ribbed Hose, seamless, double heel, toe and sole; made of best maco cotton; regular 20c grade; Special Saturday, pair **15c**

150 young ladies' absolutely pure wool genuine Oneita Union Suits, in white only; regular $2.00 value; Special Saturday, suit **79c**

Gents' Furnishings

Extra Special for Saturday only—10 doz new spring styles in Golf Shirts, sizes 14 to 16½, exquisite colors, extra well made; also extra cuffs; a garment cheap at 75c; Saturday, each **58c**

GENT'S UNDERWEAR

Odd lot Shirts only, gray, tan and brown ribbed, plain gray and camel's hair, fancy gray fleeced; these garments cannot be purchased anywhere for less than 50c each; Saturday Extra Special, each **33c**

Neckwear

50c values—Ladies' Embroidered Chiffon Stock Collars in white and white with the new bishop tab front—some are embroidered in leaf designs, some in wheel designs, and others in fancy designs; this is a very neat and dainty collar, and will be appreciated as soon as shown; Special, each **25c**

$1.00 values — White, ecrue and Arabian Point Venice, Cape and Bertha Effect Lace Collars; this is an exceptionally good value and shouldn't last long at this price; Special, each **54c**

S. E. CORNER THIRTEENTH AND WASHINGTON STREETS

SENTENCE DAY IN SUPERIOR COURT.

It was sentence day in the Criminal Department of the Superior Court this morning, and two burglars who pleaded guilty to the charges against them were given terms of punishment at Folsom prison.

Edward Conners, a three-time burglar, was given a sentence of one year each for the several offenses to which he pleaded guilty, one sentence to begin at the expiration of another.

He made a plea for the mercy of the court upon the ground that he had never been in trouble before. He acknowledged having stolen tools from unfinished houses belonging to L. A. Simmonds, C. W. Ormsby and Holcomb, Breed & Bancroft, but in mitigation of his crimes stated that he had been forced by necessity to steal.

He shed tears which appealed to the softer nature of Judge Ellsworth, who tempered justice with mercy and made the sentence as light as possible in view of the facts of the case.

The prisoner was past the middle age, and stated that he had worked for the Southern Pacific Railway for the past fifteen years, but lately had been thrown out of employment and had been unable to get work.

His place of punishment was fixed as Folsom.

Charles F. Haldenby, who pleaded guilty to a charge of having entered a building of the Masonic Cathedral Association at Fourteenth and Harrison streets and stolen a hammer and some cigars, was sent to Folsom for one year.

Haldenby broke a window in order to gain access to the building, but the crime was committed in the middle of the day, which lessened the degree of the offense from burglary in the first to that of burglary in the second degree.

The prisoner, it was stated by Deputy District Attorney Everett Brown, was a seafaring man who had recently come to this city from Portland, Oregon.

J. R. Talbot, the bunco man, convicted of having stolen $100 from James Morrow and his wife, came up for sentence, but his case was put over until next Wednesday upon the request of his attorney, A. L. Frick.

MAKES PORT BATTERED

NEW YORK, February 19.—Battered by heavy seas and with her captain and second officer injured by an enormous wave that swept over the lofty bridge, the steamer Lahn reached port today after a tempestous voyage from Genoa, Naples and Gibraltar. She had a very rough passage throughout, being under reduced speed every day.

One giant sea knocked Captain Holke and Second Officer Glunde down, fracturing two of the captain's ribs and bruising the second officer about the head. The bridge was damaged, stanchions bent and part of the rail carried away.

The Italian steamer Sicilia, also from Italian ports, had a similar experience.

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PEACE IN COLORADO.

DENVER, February 19.—The News today says:

Martial law will come to an end in San Miguel county and Colorado on Sunday. Every man of the National Guard now stationed in the Telluride district will be withdrawn on the first day of the week and the so-called provost guard at Cripple Creek will be reduced to fifty men. The latter will remain on duty there indefinitely. The above statements were authoritatively made at the capitol. Governor Peabody refused to confirm them, but the report was stamped as correct by a high military officer.

WILL GIVE A CONCERT.

A concert will be given by Miss Margaret Davis, pianist, and Miss Julia Johnson, soprano, at the Unitarian Church this evening.

The program is as follows: Vocal—Love Song (Polish), Love Song (Italian), Victor Hollaender; Vanya's Song, S. von Stutzmann; Se Come vol Piccina lo Fossi, Puccini; The Maids of Cadiz, Delibes; New Love, Mendelsohn; When, Gaston Borcho; Indian Bell Song (Lakme), Delibes.

Piano—Impromptu (op. 142), Schubert; Polonaise (op. 26), Prelude (op. 28), Etude (op. 25), Chopin; Prelude (op. 3), Rachmaninoff; Caprice (Alceste), Gluck; Rhapsodie (No. 2), Liszt.

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THE LATEST NEWS.

CONTENTS OF CZAR'S NOTE.

Russia Will Stand for the Neutrality of China.

ST. PETERSBURG, February 19.—The Russian reply was given to Mr. McCormick by Foreign Minister Lamsdorff and was promptly dispatched to Washington.

It is known that the terms of the reply are along the lines previously indicated, being a virtual acceptance in principle, with the exception of Manchuria, which is now the theater of war and where Russia's special interests lie.

The Foreign Office explained that Russia is as solicitous as the old powers that the neutrality of China should not be broken and that the area of hostilities be confined to the narrowest limits.

The Foreign Office also reported that Viceroy Alexieff explained that as Dalny was practically in a stage of siege and without commerce, it was impracticable to allow consuls or consular agents there during the period of hostilities. His views have been communicated to the United States, which had appointed a Consul there.

GOLD FOR WAR FUND.

TOKIO, February 19.—The Bank of Japan decided today to accept deposits of plates in jewels in aid of the war fund. President Sonoda and the nobles of the bank recently offered to melt the plate and gold gifts made by the Emperor to the fund. The Emperor approved the suggestion and also ordered the conversion of large quantities of old coins and other palace treasures. His example, if generally and practically followed, promises to swell the war fund enormously. The Bank of Japan offers to accept all such treasures at current rates, either buying them outright or returning them at the expiration of a certain term.

WARRANT FOR AN OAKLAND MAN.

SACRAMENTO, February 19.—Governor Pardee today issued to Detective Sergeant William Browne of New York a warrant for the arrest of William C. Wheaton, who is wanted in that city for grand larceny. Wheaton is now in custody in Oakland.

BATTLE OVER ESTATE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—The fight for the estate of the late Mrs. Mary Pleasant has taken a new turn in the appearance of an alleged grandson of the decedent, who will set up a claim in the Probate Court to the entire estate.

DOWIE LEAVES SYDNEY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—John Alexander Dowie has started for Melbourne after holding several meetings here, says a despatch to the American from Sydney, N. S. W. Efforts to hold them in the town hall were suspended because of the nightly disturbances, although the admission was by ticket only, and a large force of police and disciples was present to prevent disorder.

Dowie was compelled to leave his hotel by a back door on one occasion and seek refuge in a superb.

CREWS FOR THE NEW WARSHIPS

THEY ARE GIVEN AN OVATION IN TOKIO.

TOKIO, February 19.—The crews of the Niishing and Sasuaga, the two cruisers purchased by the Japanese government in Italy were formally received today in Tokio.

The men were brought from Yokohama on a special train.

There was an enormous crowd of spectators, extending from the Shinbasi station along the streets to Sibiyet Park, where a reception was held.

The sailors were formally welcomed by Mayor Osaki, who said that they had done more than undertake a perilous journey.

They were the bearers and embodiment of the sympathy for Japan, the enlightened world of the West. The streets were decorated and tonight there will be an illumination. The officers of the cruisers were given a dinner this evening.

STUDENTS DEBATE AT FAIR.

CHANCE WILL BE GIVEN COLLEGIANS TO EXERCISE ORATORICAL POWERS.

BERKELEY, February 19.—It is announced at the State University that the graduate department contains more students this farm than ever before. One-tenth of the total number of students enrolled are doing graduate work. According to the recently issued catalogue there are 264 graduate students and 2427 undergraduate students.

The significance of this increase in the number of graduates may be appreciated when it is remembered that it is the graduate department that determines the rank and efficiency of a modern university. California's recent development in this regard puts her on a more equal standing with Eastern colleges.

DEBATERS TO SUBMIT QUESTION MONDAY.

BERKELEY, February 19.—Monday the question for the intercollegiate debate will have to be submitted to Stanford. The committee has found difficulty in finding a question of current interest that would be equally desirable to both sides. A meeting of the committee will be held in room 15, North Hall, at 4 o'clock today, to discuss the matter. This will be the last opportunity for college debaters to voice their sentiments previous to the submission of the question, and the committee has requested all debaters to be present.

MORGAN'S NEPHEW IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, February 19.—George D. Morgan, nephew of J. Pierpont Morgan and his Japanese bride arrived at Chicago on their way to New York. Mrs. Morgan cannot speak English but through the medium of her husband it was learned that she likes America from the viewpoint of a tourist but is not quite sure that she could ever reconcile herself to the American style of dress for women. She says she would look strange in an American costume owing to her small stature. Mrs. Morgan was Miss Yuki Kato of Kioto. She was married to Mr. Morgan on January 20.

Mr. Morgan said they will reside in New York. His father is George Dalton Morgan, a financier.

HONOR HANNA'S MEMORY.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., February 19.—Fifteen thousand miners in Indiana suspended work at noon today in respect to the memeory of Senator Marcus A. Hanna.

SHE DIED OF BROKEN HEART.

Young Woman Takes Her Life Across Bay.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—Heartbroken over the death of her sweetheart, by whose bedside she had watched for the past ten days, Miss Nellie Murnane, 25 years of age, committed suicide at the Maryland Hotel, on Hyde street, today by inhaling gas.

Miss Annie Marie Rhode, aged 25 years, was found dead in a Mission street lodging house.

She had been asphyxiated by gas, but it is not known whether death was accidental or self-inflicted.

DECIDUOUS TREES ARE OPPOSED.

At the meeting of the Real Estate Association last night objection was made to the planting of deciduous trees on the streets of the city as ordered by the Council, and the substitution, therefore, of evergreen trees was recommended, in resolutions adopted as follows

"Whereas, The Oakland Real Estate Association is a firm believer in doing only those things that will enhance the beauty of our fair city, not only for one part of the year but for all the year round; and, believing that the planting of any kind of trees upon our streets, except those that are in foliage all the year and that the planting of any but evergreen trees will cause our streets to be littered up with dead leaves at the very time of the year when we desire it to look its very best, the planting of such trees as the ash, maple, elm and such will result in damage to the sidewalks, sewers and gutters of the streets; therefore

"Resolved, That the City Council and Board of Public Works be and they are hereby petitioned to reconsider such action as has been taken by them in and toward the planting of deciduous trees upon the streets, and they ask for the sake of our city and its future beauty, to plant only such trees or palms as will not shed their leaves, but will always add to the attractiveness of our public thoroughfares.

"Believing that a mistake once made is better righted than allowed to go on, we respectfully ask that this petition be adopted and followed."

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB.

At a meeting of residents of Vernon Heights and the Adams tract in the Fifth Ward, held at the home of C. S. Orrick, 175 Vernon street, there was organized a new improvement club which was named the Vernon Heights and Lake Shore Improvement Club. An organization was effected and the following officers were elected, namely: President, C. S. Orrick; vice-president, Chas. G. Yale; secretary, F. W. Bilger; treasurer, F. R. Musser.

A number of matters were taken up, among them being the construction of concrete steps and walks, beginning at Oakland avenue and running through to Orange street near the residence of Senator George C. Perkins. The old wooden steps in that locality are in such a dilapidated condition that it was deemed advisable that the club take the matter in hand with a view of having some permanent improvements made in that regard.

The club is starting out with good prospects, and from the matters presented at the meeting last night it is hoped that matters affecting the welfare of the disrict will be successfully carried out.

COMMERCE STREET.

City Engineer Turner is of the opinion that the city has no right to move the rails on Commerce street from the side to the middle of the thoroughfare, owing to the peculiar deed by which the street was dedicated to the city by E. C. Sessions. The reservations made by Mr. Sessions state that the street is dedicated to the city only as a highway and for no other purpose. The deed explicitly states that Mr. Sessions, his heirs or assigns, shall have the exclusive right, without asking for a franchise, to lay railroad tracks. A further reservation is made that the city shall have no right to name the time or state the kind of rails which shall be used.

The Oakland Transit Consolidated has a strip of fifteen feet on the side of the street. A State law requires that all street railways must be laid as nearly in the middle of the street as possible. Mr. Sessions makes it a condition to moving the rails to the middle of the street that he be allowed to use the rails. The street railway company refuses to do this.

The street is rendered dangerous to vehicles owing to their closeness to the curb.

CHILDREN WILL SING FOR THEIR PIANO FUND.

BERKELEY, February 19.—Under the direction of Mrs. L. V. Sweesy, the children of the Columbus and San Pablo schools will give a concert at Sisterna Hall tonight, the funds to be used in purchasing a piano for the San Pablo school. An interesting program will be rendered by a large chorus of voices.

SIXTY THOUSAND VIEWED THE BODY.

CLEVELAND, February 19.—During the time that Senator Hanna's body lay in state, from 1:30 to 9:30 o'clock p. m., Thursday, and from 6 to 11 o'clock today, it is estimated that not less than 60,000 people gazed upon the features of the dead Senator.

Schilling's Best make generous business. Your grocer is generous with it. Moneyback costs him nothing; costs nobody anything.

ASSESS BANK FRANCHISES.

ASSESSOR DALTON SAYS LOCAL INSTITUTIONS WILL HAVE TO PAY.

In regard to the decision handed down yesterday by the Supreme Court in which it held that bank franchises were assessable, Assessor Henry P. Dalton had this to say with regard to the effect the decision would have on the increase of property valuation in Alameda county:

"The decision means an increase in the total assessment next year and a proportionate increase in revenue. How much I am not able to say at present as I have only read the decision and have not thought of how many banks there are in the county, nor of their probable value.

"I have always though that the franchises of the banks should be taxed and have assessed them at a nominal value of $2,000 or $3,000. But this in no way represents the true value of a franchise. It is a valuable permit to do business and I believe should be taxed. The tangible property of a bank is no criterion to go by and for years the banks have been escaping taxation on a large part of their wealth.

"I believe Assessor Dodge of San Francisco arrived at a right conclusion when he deducted the value of a bank's tangible property from the par value of its stock and used this as a base of assessment. It will mean a big increase in the assessment of the banks of this county which will be put in effect when the next assessment comes around."

TODAY'S RACES.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—Ingleside results:

FIRST RACE (Futurity Course.)

Flaneur, 11 to 5.....1
Brennus, 3 to 2.....2
Dusty Miller, 8 to 1.....3
Time, 1:12¾.

SECOND RACE (Half Mile.)

Bose Eley, 9 to 5.....1
Edgecliff, 9 to 1.....2
Golden Idol, 7 to 10.....3
Time, 0:40½.

THIRD RACE.
(Five and One-Half Furlongs.)

Modder, 9 to 5.....1
Rustic Girl, 6 to 1.....2
Dr. Sherman, 10 to 1.....3
Time, 1:08½.

AT LOS ANGELES.

LOS ANGELES, February 19.—Ascot results:

FIRST RACE.
(Mile and a Sixteenth.)

Iras, 4 to 1.....1
Louwelsea, 5 to 1.....2
Major Dixon, 10 to 1.....3
Time, 1:49.
Ping ran away.

SECOND RACE (Slauson Course.)

Marta, 5 to 1.....1
Eva D, 15 to 1.....2
Educate, 12 to 1.....3
Time, 1:13.

STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—The following stock quotations up to noon today are furnished by Sutro & Co., of 321 Montgomery street

	Bid	Asked
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.		
Bay Coun Power Co 5%....	103½	.....
Contra Costa Water Co 5%	100	.....
Hawaiian Com & S 5%.....	.....	100
Los Angeles Ry 5%.....	.....	113½
Northern Ry of Cal 5%....	.....	119
North Pacific Coast RR 5%..	.....	105½
North Shore Ry 5%.....	.....	100½
Oakland Transit Co 5%....	118¾	119¼
Oakland Transit Co Cons 5%	.....	103½
Pac Electric Ry 5%.....	105½	.....
Park & Cliff House RR 6%	105	.....
Sact Elec, Gas & Ry 5%....	98	100¼
S P RR of Ariz 6% 1909....	105½	106
S P RR of Ariz 6% 1910....	106½	.....
S P RR of Cal 6% 1912.....	118¼	.....
S P RR of Cal, stamped....	103⅝	109¼
United Gas & Electric 5%..	105	.....
WATER STOCKS.		
Contra Costa	39	41
Spring Valley Water Co....	39	39½
GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.		
San Fran Gas & Elec Co..	57½	58
United Gas & Elec.....	.....	37
BANK STOCKS		
Bank of California	.....	445
Mercantile Trust Co.....	.....	225
SAVINGS BANK STOCKS.		
San Fran Savings Union....	635	650
POWDER STOCKS.		
Giant	61½	.....
SUGAR STOCKS		
Hawaiian Com & Sugar Co.	44⅝	45
Honokaa Sugar Co.....	11	11⅜
Hutchinson Sugar Plan Co.	7⅞	8¼
Paauhau S P Co.....	11	.....
MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.		
Alaska Packers' Assn	138	139
California Wine Assn	92½	.....
Oceanic Steamship Co.....	4½	5
Pac Aux Fire Alarm Co....	5	6

SALES.

10 Wine Assn 92½
10 Spring Valley Water.... 38¾
15 Spring Valley Water .. 38⅝
100 Spring Valley Water..... 39
250 S. F. Gas & Elec 57½
10 Hawaiian 44⅝

ENORMOUS SIGN ERECTED.

ELMHURST, February 19.—One of the largest signs in Alameda county is being erected by the Elmhurst Realty Company in front of its office on Fourteenth street. The sign is to be made of aluminum and can be read at a distance of one mile. The design will have on it, besides the name of the firm, the three tracts of land offered for sale by the firm. Much interest is being taken locally in the big advertisement.

THE MAYOR.

Postmaster Frank Storer is in a quandary over a letter which arrived this week at this office, addressed to the "Mayor of Elmhurst."

As yet Postmaster Storer has not decided to whom to deliver the communication.

VISITING HERE.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rumely of Oakland are visiting J. J. O'Toole and wife.

WILL REPORT

A special meeting of the Elmhurst Improvement Club was held last night in Red Men's Hall. The committee appointed last month to report on the advisability of organizing a sanitary district were given more time.

SIX SOLDIERS MURDERED.

SLAUGHTERED BY FANATICS IN A BOLO RUSH.

MANILA, February 19.—Lieutenant McRae and six privates of the Constabulary have been killed by a bolo rush of 500 fanatics, while patrolling the east coast of the island of Samar.

Private Samoman of the Fourteenth Cavalry, stationed at Jolo, has also been killed by bolomen.

RACE ENTRIES FOR TOMORROW

SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—Entries at Ingleside tomorrow are to be as follows:

First race—Five and one-half furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up:

Goddess of Night 106
Theodora L 102
Skip Me 106
Egyptian Princess 101
Adnor 108
Quiz II 108
Lou Clieveden 106
Sue Johnson 101
Dr. Sherman 103
Batidor 104
Pruewood 101

Second race—Three and a half furlongs; purse; maiden two-year-olds:

6075 Edith Vice 110
5823 Dixelle 106
6050 Miss Tonopah 106
6075 Onondulum 106
6087 Tar Baby 106
5991 Miss Claude 106
6049 George P. McNear 109
.... San Jose 113

Third race—One and an eighth miles; selling; four-year-olds and upward:

6091 Frank Woods 111
6067 Mr. Dingle 100
6091 Expedient 107
6090 Constellator 106
5971 The Fretter 110
6067 Chickadee 100

Fourth race—One mile; handicap; three-year-olds and upward:

6041 Horatius 102
6058 Esherin 94
5932 Golden Money 111
6077 Jockey Club 105
6041 O'Hagen 96
6077 Kenilworth 117
6079 Celebrant 95

Fifth race—Seven-eighths of a mile; selling; four-year-olds and upward:

6053 Rollick 108
6074 Fair Lady Anna 95
6080 Hipponax 105
6052 Whiskers 100
6064 Pierce J 103
6090 Flyer 102
5478 Pearl Diver 92
6064 Velma Clark 101
6074 Goldfinder 102

Sixth race—six furlongs; selling; three-year-old and up;

Mimo 99
Crigli 94
Mr. Farnum 97
Sad Sam 110
Muresca 105
Hainault 102

TO TELL COLLEGE GIRLS OF RADIUM.

BERKELEY, February 19.—Mr. Booth of the chemistry department will deliver a lecture on radium at Mills College tonight. Mr. Booth has made a special study of the new element, and great interest is being shown by everyone in the results of his studies and experiments.

Since his first lecture to the public on the subject he has received at least 100 specimens from this and neighboring States with the request that they be examined for radium. The examination of the specimens, however, has so far been fruitless.

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BAY SCHOOL ROW FOMENTING.

MANY CRACK PLAYERS OUT ON BASEBALL GROUNDS.

GOLDEN GATE, February 19.—The Bay School is furnishing a good target for the parents of pupils, said to be confined in its basement rooms, to shoot at. Any ammunition may be used, but the principal powder revolvers about the question of health.

The TRIBUNE correspondent visited the school yesterday for the purpose of seeing with his own eyes the unsanitary conditions said to prevail.

His resume is this:

The Bay Public School is undoubtedly eminently well equipped in the upper two stories. The play grounds surrounding it are, with the exception of a small corner of the boys' recreation side, well asphalted and sloping properly to enable rain water to drain off. The building is located on a lot 275 by 130, affording ample room for recreation. The rooms are neatly and well kept. Ventilation is good and there is sufficient lighting. The building is heated by the hot water system and there is no record of any complaint as to lack of warmth even in the coldest days.

Below, in the basement, however, it is different.

On entering the lower rooms it was noticed that the air was stale and dead. The first school room on the southern corner of the building is directly connected with the basement. There is a sort of a store room into which the inner door opens, in which is kept old bottles, discarded stove pipe, burlap sacks and general unused and cast away articles.

In this recitation room there are twenty-five desks. The room is very small and low posted. Access is gained to the next room through a low doorway. This room is about 16 by 30 and there are forty-one desks here. There is scarcely room to pass up the middle aisles and little room in the side aisles. Overhead the hot water pipes, which heat the rooms above, run, and as there is a hot air system of heating for the basement rooms the life of the air is soon killed.

The room back of this one accommodates thirty-two desks and the door in its rear opens into a carpenter shop and general store house for unnecessary goods.

Mrs. Malcomb when speaking about her own children who had attended school in these basement rooms, said:

"My babies have never been well since they have been to school in those rooms below the ground. Why, do you know, that during the recent hard rains the floors in the basement adjoining the school rooms were flooded. Nearly four inches of rain water gathered there. And those little children, not mine alone mind you, were compelled to remain in that damp atmosphere with windows closed to keep out the drifting rain. I have visited the rooms many times and I for one do not feel that I should send my little ones to a place where sickness will be their lot.

"There is plenty of room for a building to accommodate these primary pupils in the corner of the girls' recreation ground."

No word has been received from the Board in reply to the petition sent in some time ago. It was rumored yesterday that one high up in educational planes remarked that in his estimation some changes might be expected soon. The truth of this has not been verified.

TEACHERS' MEETING.

Schools were dismissed early today, at 1:30, on account of the holding of a teachers' meeting.

DIED.

MAIN—In this city, February 18, 1904, Constance S., beloved wife of A. F. Main and mother of H. H. Main, a native of England, aged 66 years, 9 months and 1 day.

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TELEGRAPHY—Instructions given in telegraphy; classes now forming; terms reasonable. Address Berkeley Night School of Telegraphy, 1904 Ashby ave., Berkeley. y

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Sports

FAVORITES MEET DEFEAT.

EDUARDO IS THE ONLY FIRST PLACER TO WIN AT INGLESIDE.

Five favorites succumbed with disastrous results to the talent at the Ingleside track yesterday.

Eduardo, the two-year-old alone survived the onslaught, winning at odds of 9 to 10. Among the horses that showed up well during the day were Sir Preston, Boutonniere, Gorgalette, Hipponax and Byronerdale.

Divina skulked at the post in the mile run and was badly left. She was heavily played at 11 to 5 and it was through no fault of Tommy Burns that she failed to get away.

Gorgalotta, a 15 to 1 shot, took the event, Leader the second choice, finishing third.

A surprise was created when Sir Preston landed in front of Bard Burns. Willie See, who was on Bard's back, rode a careful, well judged race, but Sir Preston possessed the greater speed.

Eduardo was by far the best horse among the two-year-olds and couldn't help winning.

By a mere nose Hipponax downed the ancient old Amasa. C. Smith took the mount on Amasa and by breaking in front of his field made all the running.

Horton, a great favorite during the day, was beaten by Byronerdale, a six to one chance, ridden by Travers. Frank Woods landed the show.

The following is a summary of the days sport:

FIRST RACE.
(Five and a Half Furlongs.)

Sir Preston (Travers), 3 to 1.....1
Bard Burns (See), even 2
Maud Muller (C. Smith), 150 to 1.....3

SECOND RACE.
(Three and a Half Furlongs.)

Eduardo (Bell), 9 to 10.....1
Mogregor (J. Martin), 4 to 1.....2
Cardinal (J. Daly), 20 to 1.....3

THIRD RACE (Seven Furlongs.)

Boutonniere (J. T. Sheehan), 6 to 1....1
Decoy (J. Martin), 9 to 5.....2
Dandie Belle (Bell), 15 to 1.....3

FOURTH RACE (One Mile.)

Gorgalette (Knapp), 10 to 1.....1
Grafter (See), 9 to 1.....2
Leader (J. Martin), 18 to 5.....3

FIFTH RACE (Six Furlongs.)

Hipponax (J. Martin), 7 to 1.....1
Amasa (C. Smith), 25 to 1.....2
Constellator (Travers), 5 to 1.....2

SIXTH RACE.

Byronerdale (Travers), 7 to 1.....1
Horton (J. Martin), 17 to 20.....2
F. Woods (Bell), 6 to 1.....3

STUDENTS TO GO ON TRAINING BOARD.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., February 19.—To fill two vacancies on the Board of Directors of the Stanford Training House Corporation, the executive committee of the Associated Students today nominated the following alumni and undergraduate students: C. R. Lewers, 96; T. L. Storey, '96; C. M. Fickert, '98; T. L. Berry, '99; R. E. Bell, '04; W. R. Hamilton, '04. The election by the members of the Board will take place in two weeks.

TO CONTEST FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

BERKELEY, February 19.—Despite the unfavorable weather recently, the woman's tennis tournament at the University of California has been progressing favorably.

The final college championship game between the winner and Miss E. B. Ratcliff, '05, will be played on next Monday. Two matches have been played this week. Miss Marian Craig, '07, defeated Miss Florence Atkinson, 6-1 and 6-0. Miss Miriam Edwards, '07, defeated Miss Gladys Wickson, 6-0 and 6-0.

Big things at Keller's Saturday.

GOLF A SURE CURE FOR BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Golf is a sure cure for Bright's disease, according to Dr. E. N. Nash, who has made the statement at a meeting of the Homeopathic Medical Society. Dr. Nash supported his statement by citing cases in which he had noted definite and immediate benefit resulting in the patients' pursuit of the pastime and in the healthful open air life on the links and close communion with nature which the exercise compels.

ST. MARY'S COLLEGE BATTERIES.

F. FERGUSON, Pitcher. G. POULTNEY, Catcher. L. RYAN, Catcher. E. SCHOFIELD, Pitcher.
PARKE WILSON, Coach.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES ROUNDING INTO FORM.

Many Events Are Planned By the Students —Baseball Team is Being Coached.

Athletics are in full blast at the High School. All departments are putting forth every energy to place winning teams in the field. The prospects are good as there is much enthusiasm among the boys. They realize they have a hard tussle in view. The weather has been a damper on training but hard grilling work will soon commence.

The track on Market street has been cleared of debris and is newly cindered.

The baseball team has been using Freeman's Park for daily practice.

With the exception of Baker the track team of last year is intact. The team is strengthened by the return of Hall. He is a promising high jumper, and with careful nursing of his weak ankle it is hoped he will gain his old-time form. Last year's team is as follows: Sprints, Rice, Sites Vesper, Sheehan, Walker, and Coyne; the distant runs, Coyne and Cauldwell; hurdles, Melvin and Dozier; broad jump, Melvin and Vesper; pole vault, Vail; the relay team, Sites, Sheehan, Rice, Coyne, Walker, Vesper and Whitman. With the above team as a nucleus and the promising new candidates, victory is assured the team.

Melvin will win both hurdles this year.

There has been a wealth of material out for the baseball team, and although there has been a regular line-up for some time no one is sure of his position. An attempt is being made to secure Lou Kennedy, the old University of California palyer, as coach to develop the ready players.

The members of last year's team who are back at school are Captain Thomson, Jordan, Kady, Ghirardelli, Crane and Richardson. Ghirardelli has been switched from the outfield to first base.

The present line-up is as follows: Jordan, pitcher; McCloud, Langan, catcher; Ghirardelli, first base; Thomson, captain, second base; Hopkins, shortstop; Kady, third base; Schnaubel, left field; Richardson, center field; Anthony, right field.

Jordan, the pitcher, is new at the game. He has plenty of curves and all kinds of speed, but he does not know at present how to make use of it, but with coaching he will round into first-class shape. He is a promising youngster. With McCloud as catcher the battery is considered exceptionally strong. The outfield is good, especially Schnaubel, a recent addition to the school from Placerville High School. He covers his ground like a veteran and has a strong arm in putting the ball home. Thompson plays his steady, reliable game. The team has two left-hand players, Kady and Hopkins. Kady was figured as the best third baseman of last year's season. He played an errorless game.

Manager Mikel says it is the best hitting team in five years. He is now arranging games in preparation for the league contest, which begins early in March.

The Athletic Association officers are: President, Dozier; vice-president, McKim; recording secretary, Countryman; financial secretary, Sprague; treasurer, Walker; custodian, Craig; yell leader, Quayle; B. C. L. delegates, Thomson and Coyne; track captain, Coyne; manager, Vesper; baseball captain, Thomson, manager, Mikel.

HANDBALL GAMES AT STANFORD.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., February 19.—George Cromwell, '04, of Holbrook, won the annual handball tournament in the final match today, and for the ensuing year will possess the championship belt offered by the Stanford Gymnasium Club. Cromwell is registered in the department of civil engineering.

FORFEITS TO ABE ATTELL.

Last night, at Chicago, Abe Attell got the decision over "Kid" Hermann in a six-round contest. Attell was the better man throughout the fight. Hermann agreed to put "Abe" out inside of six rounds or forfeit the fight, and as Attell stayed the limit, with no trouble, he was awarded the decision.

BASKETBALL GAME TO BE HELD.

ALUMNI AND VARSITY PLAYERS TO COMPETE ON WOMAN'S DAY.

BERKELEY, February 19.—A game of basketball between the 'varsity co-ed team and alumni players will be one of the leading features of Women's day at the University of California.

Professor Magee will act as referee. The players are as follows: Alumnae—Miss Alice Farm, captain; Miss Emma Stover, Miss Esther Cotton, Mrs. Alma Needham, Miss Adele Place, Miss May Holworth, Mrs. Heag, Miss Eleanor Talcott and Miss Winifred Osborne.

The University players are Miss Mary Shafter, captain; Miss Dahlia Spencer, Miss Leilia Boynton, Miss Florence Athman, Miss Aura Lee, Miss Marie Griffith, Miss Lillian Wright, Miss Mary Rigney, Miss Lillian Williams, Miss Irma Weil, Miss Irene Furlong and Miss Alice Joy, substitute.

The finals in the woman's tennis tournament will also take place Monday.

Woman's day will end with the customary colonial ball, but the present ball promises to eclipse all others in magnificence and originality. Yauk's orchestra will furnish the music for the dancing. The patronesses will be Mrs. B. I. Wheeler, Mrs. H. C. Schilling, Mrs. T. W. Page, Mrs. W. C. Morgan and Mrs. G. C. Edwards.

Big things at Keller's Saturday.

PREPARING TO ARRANGE MATCH WITH STANFORD.

BERKELEY, February 19.—E. H. Sawyer, '04, has been appointed chairman of the chess committee of the A. S. U. C. to take the place of W. B. Scotchler, '04, the former chairman, who has left college. A. D. Weitres, '05, was appointed to fill the vacancy in the committee created by the appointment of Sawyer as chairman.

Next week the committee will arrange for the annual match with Stanford.

POSTOFFICE POSITIONS.

ALAMEDA, February 19.—The United States Civil Service Commission announces that an examination for positions in the Alameda Postoffice will be held on March 2. Application for forms 101 and 117 should be made to the auxiliary secretary of the Board of Examiners, Alameda, or to the secretary of the Consolidated Board of Examiners, 301 Jackson street, San Francisco.

DECIDING GAME TO BE PLAYED.

CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL LEAGUE NEARING CLOSE OF SEASON.

The Seamen's Institute team of San Francisco, so well known in Oakland for the rattling game as Association football played usually on Thanksgiving and New Year's days, will try conclusions in Idora Park on Saturday afternoon with the Saturday Hornets. Both clubs will have out their best material, and the contest should equal a league game in every particular. Play will begin at 3 p. m.

These Saturday games are becoming very popular and would be more so if men could get away on Saturday afternoons. As it is, the Pirates, Sailors, Alameda Hospital Corps and the Oakland Hornets are the only clubs able to furnish elevens for that day of the week.

All first league interest centers in the two games scheduled for the Presidio grounds, San Francisco, on Sunday, and in the game between the Oakland Hornets and the Thistles scheduled for Monday afternoon on the same grounds. In consequence of the importance of these three fixtures, particularly the Thistle-Vampire game, there will be no other league games on Sunday or Monday. The league schedule for these two days, therefore, is: Sunday, Albion Rovers of Oakland vs. Independents at 1:30 p. m.; Thistles vs. Vampires at 3 p. m.; Monday, Washington's Birthday, Oakland Hornets vs. Thistles at 2:30 p. m. All on the Presidio athletic grounds.

The Thistles and Vampires lead in the league race for the championship, with the Independents close behind. The game on Sunday, if won by either club, will practically decide the championship for this season, although the Thistles must meet the Hornets on Monday, and the erratic wearers of the orange and black stripes are just as likely to surprise their friends by winning as by losing.

STANDING OF CLUBS.

The league table to date shows the Vampires slightly in the lead, with only one more game (that of Sunday) to play.

CLUB.	Games played	Total points	Average Highest now	possible points
Vampires	11	18	1.63	20
Thistles	9	17	1.88	23
Independents	10	15	1.50	19
Albion Rovers	11	8	.73	10
Occidentals	12	6	.50	6
Hornets	9	4	.44	10
Pickwicks	10	4	.40	8

Each club must play twelve games. The total number of points possible was 24. If the Vampires beat the Thistles on Sunday and the Independents the Albions, the whole possibility of the league championship will be altered. The fight will then be between the Independents, Thistles and Vampires, with the Hornets, who have still to play the Thistles twice, as a possible quicksand for the ambitions of the wearers of the prickly plant.

WILL DRAW YACHT SCHEDULE.

JACK SHERRY'S NEW YAWL IS WELL UNDER WAY.

The California Yacht Club will meet at its club rooms next Sunday for the purpose of arranging a race schedule for the ensuing year.

There are several new boats this year to enter. "Jack" Sherry's new yawl will probably make a good account of herself if lines have anything to do with it. It is of course impossible to predict that an unfinished boat will be a winner, but the graceful lines of the now-building Sherry boat go a long way in sizing her up.

While the frames are only up yet the general appearance presented as she is today makes her look like a winner.

She is ready to plank. The new yawl is 5 feet over all and is built purely for a racing craft. She has not been named yet.

The yawl "Gypsy" will be seen again this year in the races. This fast little craft has a good record behind her and is not an unknown quantity by any means. She is a 40-footer.

The "Gypsy" has to her credit the Class Flag, second in the inter-club yawl class, second flag in the Vincent Handicap, and second cup in the California Yacht Club yawl race. "Charlie" Clarke, her owner, is fixing her up for the coming season's entries and hopes to make her a top-notcher. He wants a "won" on the slate every time she crosses the line.

Among the thirty members of the California Yacht Club there is much preparation. At the meeting Sunday all arrangements will be made for dates and the coming season's racing plans will be decided upon.

The Commodore is George M. Shaw, and Vice-Commodore Charles . Dos.

DEATH CLAIMS A FAMOUS HORSE.

The Queen is dead.

Beautiful Bells, the famous brood mare, bred by the late L. J. Rose, died yesterday at Palo Alto of old age.

Beautiful Bells was not a success on the track and was unable to place a low record to her credit. She was then used for breeding purposes and her progeny have built up for themselves enviable reputations. All her children have reflected credit on the family name. The aggregate amount received from the sales of Beautiful Bells' products mounts up to over $300,000.

Some of the famous horses out of Beautiful Bells are Hinda Rose, Bell Bay, Chimes, Belshire and Bell Baird.

Hinda Rose, her first foal, broke the world's yearling record and later made a new three-year-old mark. Bell Boy brought $50,000 to his owners at sale.

Beautiful Bells was a wonderful mare in the breeding world, but now old age has come to claim her.

INDICTED FOR MURDER.

DES MOINES, Ia., February 19.—Charles W. Graves, under charges of putting his wife to death and burning the body, was indicted today for murder in the first degree. The charred remains of Mrs. Graves were found in December last locked in their home.

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TENNIS DRAWING LAST NAMES.

NAMES OF THOSE WHO WILL CONTEST FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

The drawing for the county tennis tournament was held last night at the East Oakland club house, resulting as follows:

Preliminary round—F. Webster vs. R. Gorrill; C. Gardner vs. C. McDuffy; G. Lytton vs. F. Adams; J. Lewis vs. P. Carlton; George Baker vs. C. Foley; G. Janes vs. H. Arnold; J. D. McGavin vs. G. Finkenstedt; O. Lowell vs. R. Varlet; C. Griffin vs. E. Ames; H. Long vs. C. Brabunt; H. Murdock vs. W. Milwain; S. Talcott vs. H. Palmer; G. Finnegan vs. J. Brady; R. Heath vs. F. Newell; J. Code vs. P. Murdock; N. Baker vs. M. Sherrard.

First round—W. Foster vs. H. Biddle; G. Bater vs. C. Wayne; H. Medcraft vs. W. Porter; R. S. Smilie vs. C. Dunlap; N. Ambrose vs. S. Gaynes; F. Tulner vs. A. Haynes; W. Cook vs. J. Francis; E. Otis vs. R. Parr.

The entry list of forty-eight in singles gives great promise of some excellent matches. As Murdock and McGavin were each drawn in the different halves they will probably play the final match.

To the winner of the singles will be given a silver loving cup. To each of the winners in doubles a silver cup. To the runner-up in singles a racket from the Olympic Arms Company. To the winner of the consolation singles a racket from Clabrough, Golcher & Company. To the runners-up in doubles, tennis racket from the Pierce Hardware Company and a racket from Maxwell & Company.

The doubles will be drawn later.

COFFROTH HAS TWO GOOD ONES.

The preliminaries to the Young Corbett-Dave Sullivan fight have been arranged.

Manager Coffroth of the Yosemite Club, after having been in a state of siege by the "want-a-reps," has drawn what should be good events.

The first preliminary will be a go between Caesar Attell and Sanfransan. Frank Rafael and Charley Seiger are slated for the other.

Coffroth has made a good selection and February 29, the night of the fight, should furnish sports with three contests worth seeing.

Look Out for Furniture.

H. Schellhaas' clearance sale of furniture means money in your pocket. Look for store, corner 11th and Franklin sts.

TURNER TO FIGHT FITZGERALD.

"COLOR LINE" ALL BLUFF TALK SAYS A PROMINENT SPORT.

"Pug" fanciers are turning their attention locally principally toward the individual merits of "Young" Corbett and "Dave" Sullivan, who are scheduled to fight February 29. It is easier to get a line on "Corbett," as he is well known here, but "Dave" is known more by his Eastern reputation.

The mill should prove a great card, and though it is perhaps too early to talk of odds, the sentiment in sporting circles seems to be that it will be a fast and furious set-to. There is bad blood between the two, and all questions of "lay downs" may be put aside.

Both men are quick and can stand a lot of "take" and each is ready to do all the "giving" he can.

At last "Rufe" Turner is matched.

So said a man high up in sporting circles and one qualified to know:

"The trouble Turner has experienced in getting a match is not due to his color. The fact is 'Rufe' is too good for most of them and these hot-air fighters are afraid of him. When some of those fellows who have attained a little reputation have been approached in regard to meeting Turner, they turn his picture toward the wall and say that they draw the color line. That's all bluff. Turner is too good for most of them, and the only way they can get out of it is by 'drawing the color line'."

But "Rufe" Turner, through the efforts of George Mahoney of the Reliance Athletic Club, is now matched to meet Willie Fitzgerald on March 25, the go to take place at the Reliance Club. The men are to weigh in at 133 pounds at 6 o'clock. "Ed" Smith will probably referee the match.

Fitzgerald will fight "Battling" Nelson in Montana, March 14, and will then jump direct to this city. The betting favors "Willie," though Nelson will probably try to put him out in the early stage of the game.

"I think," said a sporting man last night, "that Fitzgerald is making a mistake in fighting Nelson so near to the time when he is to take on Turner. In the event of a hard fought battle and should he get much punishment, 'Willie' will have to get down to cases in short order. There is no easy thing in 'Rube'."

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Susan M. Swaysgood, Institute of Solar Healing and Osteopathy, has removed from 312 San Pablo avenue to 560 Fourteenth street, corner Clay. Treatment of Chronic Diseases, Rheumatism, Blood and Skin Diseases a specialty.

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Mrs. F. O. Appel

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These prices will make them go with a rush. This is a great chance to buy shoes for half price. See the bargains in our windows. Sale on now in full blast:

Boys' Calf and Vici Kid Lace Shoes; sizes 2 to 5½ at..$1.25
Men's Calf and Vici Lace and Congress Shoes; all sizes at..$1.45
Ladies' Vici Kid Lace Shoes; extension soles, low heels, patent tips at..$1.15
Ladies' Imperial Kid Lace Shoes—leather lined, patent tips, extension soles, military heels; all sizes at..$1.65
Misses' Imperial Kid and Box Calf Lace Shoes; spring heels, extension soles, patent tips; sizes 12 to 2 at..$1.15
250 pair of Ladies' Hand Sewed Ties, stamped $3.50 and they come in patent leather and vici kid; extension sole, Cuban heels; on sale at..$2.00
Ladies' Patent Calf Lace Shoes; extension soles, undressed kid tops; worth $3.00 at..$1.95
Ladies' Hand Turned Opera Slippers with fancy bows; worth $1.65 at..65c
160 pair of Ladies' Hand Sewed and Turned Ties; made of vici kid; in all styles; on sale at..$1.45

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LECTURE AT ST. JOHN'S.

Dr. S. W. Clampett will deliver a lecture tonight at St. John's Church. This is the first of a series of Friday night lectures.

LADY LAUGHS AT LAW.

AL JOHNSON'S AFFECTIONS RIPENED QUICKLY AND IT COST HIM $30.

Alfred Johnson, a mechanic of this city, is the victim of love at first sight to the extent of $30, if the story he tells to Chief of Police Hodgkins be true.

Feeling the need of an outing Johnson went to San Francisco yesterday with $50 hard earned money in his pocket. As it was a holiday with him he thought there was no better way to enjoy himself than to wine and dine well.

The wine was taken before and after meals. He wound up somewhere in the vicinity of Zinkand's or the Poodle Dog he does not remember which. Here he met a fair charmer, who captured his fancy at first glance. It required but little diplomacy to make her acquaintance and Johnson was proud of his achievements as a gallant.

After paying for something to appease the canary-like appetite, but the rather voracious thirst of his new-found acquaintance, Johnson suggested that Oakland was even a better place to get acquainted in than San Francisco.

His companion professed herself delighted. On the journey over to this side she toyed artistically with the affections of Johnson, whom even a charitable person would not say was prepossessing in the matter of looks. The lady's affection gravitated toward the wallet in Johnson's breast pocket and once her fingers touched it lovingly they never let go. On the pretext that she wanted to telephone the woman left Johnson standing on the street corner.

When Johnson woke up out of the trance he had been thrown into by his acquaintance he made a grab for his pocketbook, but it was gone. He then bethought himself of the police. Soon after telling of his troubles a detective was detailed on the case and straightway he arrested Camille Ward, a young damsel of twenty-four years, who is alleged to have made the acquaintance of the police before. She was arraigned before Judge Smith and will come up for hearing tomorrow.

MUST WEAR STRIPES.

After waiting a year for the Court of Appeals to pass upon their case, Frank Hayes and Riley Noah, convicted of perjury, were taken to San Quentin this morning, the decision in their case having gone against them. Their original sentence was for but two years and thus would only have had a few months longer to serve had they immediately entered upon the serving of their sentence.

Their case was a peculiar one and attracted considerable attention at the time of their trial in San Francisco owing to the fact that the principal in the case, who was a woman, and for whose benefit the perjury was committed, was acquitted while her confederates were convicted.

Hayes and Noah were Federal prisoners and were sent to the County Jail here pending the decision of the higher court. The crime was committed at Redding, Shasta county where they took a false oath in order to help a woman passing as Mrs. Minn to secure a pension from the government.

Both women had worked for Mrs. Minn's husband during his lifetime. When he died the woman made an application for a pension, Minn being a veteran of the Civil War. In support of her claim Hayes and Noah swore that she was the widow of Minn. It was afterwards discovered that while passing as his wife and living with him as such she had never been legally married to him. While she was tried and acquitted, the court holding that according to the law prior to 1895, general acknowledgement of the marital relations was sufficient to make her his wife and she might legally have believed herself to be such.

In the case of Hayes and Noah they swore to something they either did not know anything about or else to what they knew was not so. In cases of perjury it is held that a man is guilty if he swears to something he does not know to be so. He might swear to the truth and be convicted of perjury, if he took an oath upon a question where he did not know the truth or falsity of the statement he was making.

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KING KIND TO LORD ROBERTS.

LONDON, February 19.—The royal eulogy of Lord Roberts contained in a special army order issued yesterday evening in which King Edward took leave of Lord Roberts as Commander-in-Chief of the army is commented upon as another instance where the tact of the King rescued the official from an awkward dilemma. The curt manner in which the War Ministers dismissed the commander deeply incensed him and this feeling was shared by the public to such an extent that it threatened to lead to a serious attack on the government in parliament. The King's first indication of his disapproval of the War Office's treatment was to invite Lord Roberts to Buckingham Palace where he made known his ideas to the Field Marshal. This has been followed by the general army order, which was sent out by the King personally.

THOUSANDS TAKE A LAST LOOK AT HANNA.

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There they were placed near the chancel.

Admittance to the services at the church was by card and was limited to 800, the seating capacity of the auditorium.

Reservation on the center aisle were made for the family, Governor's staff, Washington delegation and other distinguished guests. The church was filled long before the hour for the services to commence and thousands lined the streets about the edifice.

AT THE CHURCH.

A few moments before 1 o'clock, Mrs. Hanna, accompanied by her son Daniel, entered the church. She was dressed in deep black and was heavily veiled. Other members of the family followed.

After a moment's waiting the light tramp of feet and voices of the clergy announced the presence in the building of the body of the dead. The clergy met the body at the entrance, and as they preceded it up the aisle, recited the usual sentences.

The pallbearers who carried the remains were Governor Herrick, Judge W. B. Saunders, Andrew Squier, J. B. Serbe, C. A. Grasselli, A. B. Hough, W. J. McKinnie and Samuel Mather.

When the body had been placed on the bier and the pallbearers seated, the choir chanted the Thirteenth and Nineteenth Psalms. President Pierce of Gambier College, an institution of which Mr. Hanna was a benefactor, read the lesson, which was First Corinthians, fifteenth chapter from the twentieth verse to the end of the chapter.

The choir, under the direction of Professor C. Clemens, then sang the hymn, "Lead Kindly Light."

Bishop Leonard then delivered the eulogy, speaking as follows:

BISHOP LEONARD'S EULOGY.

Bishop Leonard delivered the following eulogy:

"We are gathered here today in this House of God for the last service of benediction over the body of our distinguished citizen, our kindly neighbor and our beloved friend. The nation has honored him with its civic function at the capitol of the United States; the Commonwealth of Ohio, by the hand of her Governor, has received him back into her care and keeping; the city has stood silently about his bier, reverencing his memory and sorrowing at his departure. And now the holy church would commit his body to the earth from whence it came and his soul unto the righteous Savior, who redeemed it and who loved it with an infinite affection.

"It is not the time or place for extended eulogy and praise words will be fitly spoken by those well-equipped for such a privilege. But there are certain qualities and characteristics of this man so highly honored by all classes of people, that ought assuredly to receive recognition in the midst of his friends and associates and at this solemn hour the testimonials that have been given from many and varied sources blend together in a common strain and harmony as they speak of his high integrity, of his inflexible and dauntless purpose and his tender, true heart.

HELPFUL LIFE.

"Those who are assembled need no inspiration for their love for this earnest, helpful life. We knew him well, we loved him well, we mourn for him with undiminished sorrow. But we shall each of us go forth into the life God hath granted us with added enthusiasm for our tasks since we have noted how earnestly he did his duty for others; and we realize that the world he served is not unmindful of his greatness and goodness, nor ungrateful for what he strove after and for what he accomplished.

HIS INTEGRITY.

"And first, the universal comment is upon his integrity. This was a keynote of his life. I recall a fine, ringing address at Kenyon College last year when the degrees were being conferred upon its graduating class. And the thought of his heart found expression in his eloquent words as he urged upon these men the essential importance of high and pure integrity. It is this word that is carved deep upon the stone that marks his long and useful business career. He was not only honest, he was fair and just in all his dealings.

HE WAS RESPECTED

"He was respected by everyone in his employ. Each man of the hundreds that looked up to him felt that in the master mind there was always the clear, unshakable light of integrity. His field was an open one and his methods were never belittling or degrading. Though the arrows fly swiftly, yet do they fall from such a shield harmlessly and the champion sustained by his integrity stands forth unscathed and triumphant at last. He is an example to the young men of our county who would achieve success in any department of endeavor. And his advice is a legacy to the ardent youth of our great republic.

"Then, too, he was a purposeful man. He had definite objects in his life. He had aims to achieve, goals to reach, standards to attain. Is he not conspicuous in this?"

The choir sang the hymn, "Forever, Oh Lord, Then Let It Be."

The rector of St. Paul's Church followed with the creed and prayed. The anthem, "I Heard a Voice from Heaven," was sung by the choir.

TO THE CEMETERY.

Bishop Leonard then read the committal service and pronounced the benediction. The body, only accompanied by the family and pallbearers and Bishop Leonard, proceeded slowly out Euclid avenue to Lake View Cemetery, where a final farewell of the dead was taken in Wade Memorial Chapel. The services consisted simply of a prayer by the Bishop. The body was deposited in a crypt in the chapel to await burial at the pleasure of the family.

On the way to the cemetery two striking marks of respect were shown the dead Senator. At Adelbert College the students drew up in line in front of Hatch Library and stood with uncovered heads as the cortege passed. Again at the Euclid-avenue car barns, near the entrance of the cemetery, several hundred employes were drawn up in line and with bared heads paid their last respects to the dead.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

CLEVELAND, February 19.—Cleveland was again a city of mourning today. Business was practically suspended and a large proportion of the population paid homage to the memory of their distinguished fellow citizen, Senator Marcus A. Hanna.

Just four weeks ago today Senator Hanna left his home city for the Nation's capital, happy in the thought of his triumphant re-election to the highest legislative body in the land. His one ambition then, as he himself stated, was to give to his country a season of uninterrupted service. To a few friends before his leave-taking, the Senator expressed a sentiment that seems to have foreshadowed an event of the future.

"I am tired and think I have earned a rest. If I can go to Washington and simply attend to my duties as Senator, I shall be happy," he said.

VIEWED THE BODY.

Just as dawn began to break over the city today the doors of the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, where the body lay, were reopened to a vast throng of people who desired to view the face of the dead Senator. The long lines of people stretched away until they exceeded in length the five blocks reached during yesterday afternoon.

The early hour of opening the doors of the chamber brought thousands of men with their dinner pails on their way to their daily work. In such numbers did they come, however, that many were unable to remain in line, and consequently were deprived of a last look at the face of the dead statesman.

Early morning trains brought many excursionists from surrounding towns and these, too, helped to swell the long line.

Thousands who had hoped to have an opportunity to pass by the bier of the dead Senator abandoned the idea when they saw how hopeless was their chance of gaining admission.

THOUSANDS IN LINE.

Several thousand who stood in line waiting their turn were also disappointed when the doors of the chamber were closed at 11 o'clock to prepare for the removal of the body to the church for the funeral services.

At 10 o'clock the members of the State Legislature, who recently chose Mr. Hanna to represent the commonwealth of Ohio in the United States Senate to succeed himself, drove from their hotels to the Chamber of Commerce in a body and looked for the last time on the face of the dead statesman. During the night many distinguished men of the country arrived in Cleveland to attend the funeral service, and the early morning hours of today greatly augmented that number. The Washington delegation arrived at 12:30 o'clock and was at once driven to the Hollenden Hotel. The party included Secretary Taft of the War Department, Secretary Wilson of the Department of Agriculture, Secretary Cortelyou of the Department of Commerce and Labor, Commissioner Garfield, Chief of the Bureau of Corporations in the Department of Commerce and Labor, and the committees from the United States Senate and House of Representatives.

DISTINGUISHED MEN.

Other distinguished personages were Governor Durbin of Indiana and staff, J. Pierpont Morgan and party of New York, George B. Cox and party of Cincinnati, and a number of business and social friends of the dead Senator from Chicago, Detroit, Buffalo, Pittsburg and New York.

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BLEW OFF TOP OF HIS HEAD.

M. PARADA OF SUNOL WAS WEARY OF LIFE.

It is reported by Deputy Coroner Detgen of Pleasanton that M. Parada, a laborer, 27 years old, yesterday committed suicide four miles east of Sunol on the Alameda creek by blowing the top of his head off with a single barreled shotgun. The dead man was unmarried. According to the reports received he took his gun in the morning and said that he was going hunting. That was the last seen of him alive.

For some time the deceased had been acting in a queer manner, and many thought the suicide was demented. This is the only reason assigned for the deed.

An inquest will be held Monday.

FELL FROM A RAFT.

BERKELEY, February 19.—Kenneth Scudder, the 9-year-old son of Rev. William H. Scudder of the Park Congregational Church, had a narrow escape from drowning this morning by falling from a raft on the pond at the corner of Shattuck avenue and Woolsey street.

Scudder is the third youth who has met with such a mishap in this city during the past few days. The lad was dragged from the water by his companions and taken to his home, where he soon recovered from the shock of the accident.

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MR. CLEVELAND'S PROGRAM.

Ex-President Cleveland's article in the current number of the Saturday Evening Post will be received, and is doubtless intended to be, a statement of the position of the conservative wing of the Democratic party. As such it will command attention as much for its authorship as for what it represents and for the ideas it embodies.

It may be accepted as the best that can be said for the Democratic side in the coming campaign, if there is to be any hope for Democratic success. There is small chance of success in any event, but there will be none whatever with a Bryanistic platform and candidate.

The issues Mr. Cleveland presents are rather tepid and somewhat stale—tariff reform, economy in expenditures, a disapproval of territorial expansion and a colorless foreign policy. The coinage question is ignored, and no issue made on the trusts. Indeed, the ex-President does not use the word trusts, and is a trifle ambiguous in his remarks with respect to monopolistic combinations of capital. He quietly invokes the old States' Rights doctrine of the Democracy and hints that the suppression of the trusts had better be left to the States. Mr. Cleveland was never hard on the money power.

The program outlined is not inspiring; it raises no stirring issue and presents an urgent or essential reason for turning the Republicans out of power to put the Democrats in. It develops no crucial situation nor any question calling for decisive and immediate settlement. In short, the program outlined is mild, negative, conservative—and innocuous but for the fateful phrase tariff reform. That phrase revives a world of bitter memories, broken hopes, broken fortunes, wrecked opportunities.

On Mr. Cleveland's platform President Roosevelt's Wall street and trust enemies can easily stand. With the right kind of a candidate on the platform, the situation would be ideal for their purpose—that is if the free silver and real anti-trust Democracy will consent to take this dose of weak tea, ponderous respectability and platitudes. But will Mr. Bryan stand for it? Will not William Randolph Hearst force the trust issue to a point where no straddle will be possible? Mr. Cleveland admits that unity is necessary to success, but is unity possible under the conditions he outlines or on the principles he sets forth as the expression of Democratic policy and aims? Can the Democratic masses at the West be made content with a policy of mild negation seasoned by only one intimation of affirmative action, and that in relation to the tariff?

Hardly. Mr. Hearst is not out solely as a candidate. He has long been sawing wood for a platform. If he does not stand on the platform, he is going to see that his lumber is worked up in it. Mr. Bryan feels the same way. He is in the platform building business himself, and any plank suggested by Grover Cleveland is rotten in his eyes. If he does not lift his voice against the Cleveland program as a calling to the worship of Baal we miss our guess. We look for fireworks actually a little west of Omaha pretty soon. When the red lights go up there will be a fine display of Democratic harmony.

John Hay is a great American. He is a man to be proud of, and citizens of every party should congratulate themselves that so able, astute and level-headed a man is at the head of the State Department. He is making the power and influence of the American felt as they were never felt before, not even in the days of the great Seward. The prompt measures he takes to protect American interests and the rights and persons of American citizens show a watchful zeal worthy of the highest praise. In the domain of diplomacy his victories have been many, with no defeats to dim the glory of his triumphs. He is a great statesman in a great country.

San Diego papers are complaining that quail are eating up the grain crops in that county. That is what comes of raising grain in garden patches. A country that can't support its quail in comfort is not an agricultural bonanza.

It is stated that the Czar has recalled Count Cassini from his post as Ambassador at Washington in displeasure because Cassini did not keep his government informed as to the real state of public sentiment in this country. The trouble very likely is that Cassini was unable to deceive the State Department as to the real purposes of Russia.

While other towns are having an arbor day Oakland ought to institute a harbor day. We want to plant ocean shipping in deep water in the upper basin. Let us have a forest of masts there.

NOT A DEBATABLE QUESTION.

It is our duty to respectfully state that we have nothing to arbitrate with the Stockton Mail. There is no reason why we should come to an agreement with that journal, and consequently shall not submit our differences to the Hague Tribunal, or any other court. Our windmill city contemporary persists in misunderstanding what THE TRIBUNE has at different times stated in regard to the President's course in the Panama matter, and continually gives its own inferences as a statement of the position of this journal. We do not complain of this, but allude to it to show how utterly futile it is to carry on a controversy with an antagonist who makes his own conclusions the basis of dispute.

Colombia's demand for an arbitration was based on the charge that the President was guilty of falsehood and our government guilty of bad faith. We said the proposition was insulting to the President and equally so to the nation. The President denied the acts charged against him by the Colombian government, but that mongrel power insisted that the President's veracity should be submitted to arbitrament at the hands of foreigners.

The Mail says this is not insulting to the President and should not be objectionable to American citizens. We are sorry for the Mail. We shall not attempt to define what is the matter with it, but the complaint is evidently serious. A man who thinks no offense is given when another is called a liar is not to be argued with. Some things admit of no debate, and the case of the insolent Colombian emissary who impeached the President's word is one of them. The late Senator Reddy once said, "When he is kicked from behind no self-respecting person can stop to inquire whether or not an insult was intended." That is precisely the situation with respect to the President and Colombia. It was not the demand for arbitration that was insulting, but the question that Colombia wanted to submit to arbitration. The manner and tone of its submission were equally offensive. The editor of the Stockton Mail does not think so, but, thank God, there are plenty of Americans who do think so, and they only desire an opportunity to express their feelings in a way more impressive than words. The citizen who has no respect for his government and its head will be found in a small minority.

Heinze and the Amalgamated Copper Company are still having a catch-as-catch can contest in Montana, not for justice, but for control of the courts. The Judges all seem labeled Heinze or Amalgamated Copper. Naturally there is a good deal of base metal in the decisions.

The Albanians who are fighting the Turkish troops in Macedonia are not Christians but Mohammedans. They are not of Asiatic breed but are of the ancient Epirotic stock. They are nevertheless the fiercest and most fanatical Moslems. They are a savage mountain race, and hate their Christian fellow countrymen with ferocious intolerance. They are now fighting the Turkish government because of taxation and the protection it is extending to the Christians. Every time the Sublime Porte attempts to put in effect promised reforms the Albanians revolt, consequently the Turkish authorities are engaged almost continuously in suppressing insurrections in Macedonia and Albania.

The announcements in Berlin and Vienna papers that Russia is likely to contest Great Britain's advance into Tibet are empty bluffs plainly inspired from St. Petersburg. So is the statement that the Czar will send the Black Sea fleet through the Dardanelles whenever he gets ready. The Black Sea fleet is as helpless in the Mediterranean as it is in the Euxine, for it can get out by neither the Suez canal nor the Straits of Gibraltar without the consent of Great Britain. The English invasion of Tibet is a piece of wanton aggression, and was undoubtedly projected at this time as a demonstration against the Russian advance in Eastern Asia, but Russia is in no position to pick bones about the matter. She has her hands full and her treasury empty. Her millions of men are of no avail without money to arm, equip, victual and transport them.

Wouldn't it be a good idea to organize a public improvement association to promote the success of the proposed bond issue? This scheme of municipal improvements should not be allowed to fail because of indifference or supineness. Organized and energetic effort is what we need to make success sure.

Benevolent assimilation is causing no end of trouble just now. It has caused Russia and Japan to lock horns in a war that threatens to involve several other nations. It is causing the British to wage a strenuous campaign in Somaliland. It is causing the Germans to war with the natives in East Africa. The situation is warlike all around. Turkey is preparing to invade Bulgaria and England is invading Tibet. Civil war is raging in San Domingo, and internecine war is threatened in Colombia. In this country the Democrats are preparing for their quadrennial shindy and Colonel George Hannibal Pippy is cocking his whiskers fiercely at a Congressional nomination.

SENTIMENT VS. LAW.

San Francisco is now presenting an example of the relative force of law and sentiment. For many years the street flower vendors have made a market place of the sidewalks and open spaces around Lotta's Fountain and the Chronicle building. By proscription certain vendors have come to have an admitted right to occupy particular spots of the public thoroughfare. The flower trade is closely associated with sentiment, and it makes a picturesque and attractive spectacle as conducted in the street in the vicinity of the Lotta Fountain. This feature of San Francisco life has been written up and illustrated in Eastern magazines. To the mind of the average inhabitant it has become a fixed institution.

Nevertheless the flower vendors are obstructing the streets and sidewalks and making an illegal use of the highways. Long usage gives no man a right to occupy the public roadway, nor does the character of a man's business give him a superior right to the thoroughfare. Years ago the regular florists who pay rent and taxes made an effort to have the street flower market cleared out and the power of the street department was invoked to enforce the ordinance against street obstruction. Public sentiment arose in defense of the flower peddlers and the street officials, having an eye to the next election, retreated and allowed the obstructions to continue. As a consequence some men have occupied the same places on the sidewalk for half a dozen years.

Again an attempt is being made by the authorities to break up these impromptu flower stands on the streets and again sentiment is lifting its voice in protest. Once more the florists who have to maintain regular shops and pay rent and taxes are abused, and the authorities accused of oppressing the poor in the interest of the rich. All this leaves out the plain fact that the use of the sidewalks and streets for business purposes is illegal. It cannot be denied that the flower peddlers obstruct the sidewalk and are becoming a positive nuisance to pedestrians, but the odds are that sentiment will prove stronger than the law and public policy.

DARWINISM TO DATE.

When the monkey slid down the cocoanut tree,
We are told 'twas the descent of man;
It was such a fall, oh my countrymen
As put us in the class, also ran.

If man climbs all the way up his genealogical tree,
He'll find, we are told, an ape at the top;
So when tempted to rise from your present estate
Just make up your mind it's better to stop.

Anyway it is quite senseless to uselessly labor,
Or to unnecessary trouble go
For without climbing any old kind of a tree
One can be a monkey here below.

J. E. B.

CHRISTIANITY AND WAR.

The Open Parliament Club of the Young Men's Christian Association which has been meeting Sunday afternoon from 4:45 to 5:45 will continue discussion on the live subject, "Christianity and War," on Saturday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock and continuing for one hour. By a majority vote the members of the club decided to change the time of meeting from Sunday afternoon to Saturday evening. Stewart W. Booth, editor of the "Times," will lead the discussion on Saturday.

The Open Parliament Club is free. Men are invited to express their opinions and defend their convictions. O. E. Hotle is director of discussions. All men are invited to participate in the Saturday meeting.

SMALLPOX ABOARD MAINE.

GUANTANAMO, Cuba, February 19.—The United States battleship Maine, which was quarantined on her arrival here yesterday owing to her having a number of cases of measles on board, also has a case of smallpox.

The auxiliary cruiser Yankee has a case of measles on board.

WOMAN OUTWITS TWO BOLD HIGHWAYMEN.

MRS. JAMES J. MURPHY.

BERKELEY, February 9.—By a clever ruse Mrs. James J. Murphy, of Third and Gilman streets, West Berkeley, outwitted two footpads who held her up in her home last night and ran two blocks to summon her husband, who was at work. While the robbers stood in the kitchen waiting for Mrs. Murphy to return with the money she had promised them, she sped down the front stairs, making her escape before the highwaymen had time dusk and the marauders were cleverly laid plans.

ALONE IN THE HOUSE.

Mrs. Murphy was alone in her home when she responded to a knock at the rear door of her residence. It was after dusk and the marauder were cleverly disguised with false beards.

"We want your money and want it quick," was the first demand of the pair. "I'll get it for you," stammered Mrs. Murphy. "My purse is in the other room."

MRS. MURPHY ESCAPES.

Obeying a second impulse Mrs. Murphy ran through the front hallway and down the front stairs to the corner of Third and Camella streets, where Mr. Murphy was engaged on the night shift of a factory.

ROUNDS UP TRAMPS.

Losing no time in reaching his home, Mr. Murphy rounded up two suspicious-looking characters with the assistance of Oliver Parquet, and marched them, at pistol point, before his wife. Mrs. Murphy was unable to identify the fellows and they were released.

MRS. MURPHY'S STORY.

"When those men accosted me at the door I was so terrified that I didn't know what to do at first," said Mrs. Murphy in describing her experience. "But the thought struck me when they demanded money that I might be able to make the excuse of going into an adjoining room and then run down the front stairs. It was lucky that I did this for I soon reached my husband.

"I could not tell whether the men my husband brought before me were the men who held me up or not for they had evidently taken off the disguise I am sure they wore."

HOW RECORD RAILROAD RUNS ARE MADE.

Clark Special Over the Santa Fe Line Made Remarkable Time.

Owing to the direct bearing which it has upon the question of discipline upon American railroads, a subject now under public discussion, the recent record-breaking run accomplished by the Clark special on the Santa Fe railroad is of more than passing interest. The train set a new mark for long-distance speed by traveling 1645 miles from Winslow, Arizona, to Chicago at the average rate of forty-five miles an hour, including stops for engine changes. The operating difficulties overcome were such as tax to the utmost the ingenuity, perseverance and discipline of every employe engaged in train service. Miles of the journey were made over mountain passes with maximum grades of 185 feet to the mile, and the last third of the trip was made in weather which was almost prohibitive of fast running.

It may be true, as Sidney Thompson asserts, that labor organizations have militated against perfect discipline, and it is undoubtedly true that there is room for improvement in this respect. It is nevertheless a fact that such a feat as that accomplished by the Clark special is impossible without a very high order of discipline upon the part of every employe from the chief train dispatcher to the switch tender. It is also a fact that discipline is such on a majority of the big railway systems in the United States that any one of them will undertake to operate a special over the entire road at top speed upon thirty minutes' notice. An idea of the discipline necessary to do this with a reasonable assurance of safety can be had from the method of operating such a train.

Having received advice from the head of the passenger department that a special is desired to run between certain points between certain hours, the general superintendent gives this information to the superintendent of the initial division and to his chief train dispatcher and the former duplicates it to division superintendents and dispatchers. The chief dispatcher immediately prepares a schedule which he wires to all yardmasters, station agents and train crews, getting their signatures to the message which gives the special the right of way and practically places it upon the time table. The dispatcher then prepares in order for the movement of the train which is sent to every train, engine and switching crew and every train dispatcher, the latter receiving advices as to the time the special will be delivered into their keeping. In the meantime the terminal yardmaster has been making the special ready, the head of the car department seeing to it that the cars are in the best of order. The master mechanic has also been assembling locomotives and emergency equipment at division headquarters along the route, and has provided his most expert crews to operate the train. Additional guards have been placed at grade crossings, special fuel has been provided, and traveling engineers and assistant mechanics have been provided to accompany the special and facilitate its flight as well as minimize delays.

Thus it is that every operating employe along the route is put on guard for the special, and train crews, sometimes with the dispatcher's aid, are depended upon to keep the line clear of traffic. To do all this and do it safely is the fine art of train operation, and also, it must be admitted, requires a flawless discipline.—Editorial in Chicago Record-Herald, February 4, 1904.

MUSICIANS' PARADE.

The Musicians' Union of Alameda county has applied to the Mayor for permission to have a monster parade on the evening of February 22, which is Washington's Birthday, for the purpose of advertising a ball to be given in behalf of the Western Federation of Musicians. The parade will consist of more than 100 musicians in line. It is the intention of the originators of the plan to give the public a fine treat of music. The entire membership of the union on that occasion will turn out and contribute their services free. After the marching is over the mammoth band will assemble on Broadway and Fourteenth street, where several selections will be rendered.

Otis J. Preston, president of the union, and W. H. Ramsey, secretary of the body of musicians, are making great efforts to make the day notable in Oakland from a musical standpoint.

CONFERENCE POSTPONED.

BERNE, Switzerland, February 19.—In consequence of the war between Russia and Japan, the Federal Council has postponed indefinitely the conference summoned to meet at Geneva May 16, to revise the Geneva Convention with the view of improving the treatment of wounded men.

COLD IN THE EAST.

CHICAGO, February 19—Temperatures at 7 a. m.: New York, Boston and Philadelphia, 24; Washington, 28; Chicago, 8; Minneapolis, 4; Cincinnati, 16; St. Louis, 14.

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As a strictly moral family stock theater. 8 weeks beginning MONDAY Feb. 22 EVELYN WOOD STOCK CO. In the sensational melodrama
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Change of play weekly. High class specialties between its acts.
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Strictly first-class Vaudeville Performances every afternoon and at least two shows every evening. Admission, 10c; no higher. Entire change of bill weekly.

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Week of February 15.
Best Vaudeville talent in America.
Continuous Vaudeville and Moving Pictures, extra attractions this week.
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TONY LUBELSKI, Sole Prop. and Mgr.
WEEK BEGINNING FEBRUARY 15
No theater in America presents a finer array of vaudeville artists. New acts. New faces. New moving pictures.
Admission 10c. No more.

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High class Vaudeville. Performances every evening at 8 p. m. Matinees Saturday and Sunday. Refined entertainment. Latest series of moving pictures.
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Racing each week day, rain or shine. Six or more races daily. Races commence at 1 p. m., sharp.
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The Lace House will be closed on Monday next----Washington's Birthday

Beginning To See The End of Our Big Alterations.

but in the meantime we have goods enough for a big store with only a comparatively little store to sell them in. The advancing season will not wait for us, nor will the demand for its new styles. We must respond, even under our many disadvantages, and you rightfully expect to be recompensed for temporary inconveniences. So it is that we are selling the very latest arrivals in Spring styles, marked at our usual right prices, subject to a discount of 10 per cent. In other lines of goods the reductions are far greater.

A new chapter of saving opportunities today.

Spring Styles in Covert Coats

New, fly-front, tight-fitting covert coats displaying the popular broad shoulder and the tapering waist; box cuffs; lined throughout with satin.... Price **$10.95**

Modern Eton Suit

The Spring revival of Eton suits has led to the creation of some very handsome models. One of the smartest is made of all-wool Scotch tweed, in dark, medium and light mixtures; it is made double-breasted, collarless, with puff sleeves and box cuffs and is lined with satin .. .. Price **$16.95**

New Spring suits in Venetian cloths and Cheviots; strictly military Eton, showing wide cape and epaulette trimmed with brass buttons; skirt is trimmed with straps and folds.... Price **$14.95**

All the above, as well as other New Spring garments are sold subject to **10** per cent discount.

Fancy Silk Waistings

Spring shades of taffeta silk waistings, in hair and wide stripes and several sizes of small checks ..... Price **75c** yard

Subject to **10** per cent discount.

Fancy Oxfords—Closing Out

To clean out the entire remaining Fall stock of 50c, 60c and 65c fancy Oxfords, they are now marked .... **35c** yard

All have white grounds, with fancy self and colored stripes.

White Corded Madras Waistings

This is one of the best bargains the Lace House is now offering. All that remains of these madras cloths, 36 inches wide, in three different patterns, is marked .... **10c** yard

Regular price was 16 2-3c.

Indian Beads

—in many new colors

These pretty beads are made in Italy and were imported by us direct from that country. By thus saving several intermediate profits we are able to sell the regular 20c strings at **15c**

In the lot are several colors entirely new. This is the finest selection yet received at the Lace House.

Soft Crushed Leather Belts

These popular belts lend themselves very naturally and neatly to the adornment and finish of the waist. They come in white, black or tan, with neat nickel buckles. Prices are.... **35c, 50c to 75c**

New, extra heavy, patent leather belts, with black buckles, also some in large sizes suitable for boy's Russian blouse coats .... **25c and 35c**

All these belts subject to **10** per cent discount.

Ladies' Wrist Bags

—a great special.

A number of excellent Wrist Bags that are worth from $1.50 to $1.75 are now marked **95c**

The lot contains black seal and walrus Wrist Bags, also some colors, with independent inside pockets; frames are nickel or gilt. Special at **95c**

Spring Dress Fabrics

The new black and navy blue brilliantines and siciliennes have arrived. They show a beautiful finish and are priced.. .. .. **50c, 75c and $1.00** yard —subject to **10** per cent discount.

Glove Specials

A complete line of $1.25 values in fine kid gloves is now marked.... **95c**

Because they were bought under specially favorable conditions is the reason why they are being specially sold. They are 2-clasp gloves, in all sizes and the colors are browns, black, modes and tans.

The regular Lace House special $1.50 high-grade, real French kid glove is now marked special at **$1.35**

New Japanese Silk Waists

These waists, because of their beauty and economy are to be popular favorites this Spring and Summer. They come in black and cream and in over a dozen dainty styles.

They are finished with drawn-work lace, open-work embroidery, motifs, faggoting, tucks, insertings, etc., and are priced.... **$2.50, $3.00, $3.25 to $5.75** —all subject to **10** per cent discount.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

RECITAL AT THE MUTUAL BENEFIT CLUB WAS A SUCCESS.

The recital which was given last evening under the auspices of the Mutual Benefit Club at their cosy quarters on Jefferson street was one of the social and financial successes of the week. A large and appreciative audience greeted the young artists who contributed to the program and those who attended were enthusiastic over the notable success of the affair.

Miss Berbe Vilas gave several dramatic readings, including selections from Browning's, "Love Among the Ruins";; James Whitcomb Riley's "That Little Dog" and a strong dramatic selection from Rudyard Kipling. Miss Vilas' versatility is remarkable and she has already shown exceptional talent in her chosen profession.

Miss Louise Grossett's French songs were a delightful feature of the entertainment and Edward Sticklan did admirable work as accompanist and kindly played several piano selections.

The whole affair was very enjoyable and the committee in charge are receiving many congratulations.

INFORMAL LUNCHEON.

Mrs. C. B. Carr was hostess at a delightful informal luncheon this afternoon at the picturesque Piedmont Clubhouse. The decorations were suggestive of the springtime and the group of small tables formed a very pretty picture.

Covers were laid for Mrs. Frederick Pierce, Mrs. Charles Houghton, Mrs. C. C. Boude, Mrs. William Wood, Mrs. R. T. Bentley of San Francisco and Mrs. C. B. Carr.

FAREWELL PARTY.

Miss Madeline Walling was the recipient of a delightful farewell party last Wednesday evening given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Maehler, assisted by Mrs. I. V. Dutcher. Miss Walling leaves for Seattle shortly, and last Wednesday evening was the last of a series of delightful parties planned in her honor. The evening was pleasantly spent in music, games and dancing, followed by a supper.

Those who participated were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Maehler, Mrs. I. V. Dutcher, Miss Madeline Walling, Miss Carrie Maehler, Miss Juliet Boynton, Miss Edith Flint, Miss Hattie Gray, Miss Carrie McGary, Miss Jessie Thornton, Miss Grace Blaisdell, Messrs. George Daniells, Tom Richie, Fred Dunstan and Robert Wing.

WHIST TOURNAMENT.

Appomatox Relief Corps, No. 5, will hold a prize whist tournament this evening in Loring Hall, corner Eleventh and Clay streets. Many handsome prizes have been secured and a pleasant evening is anticipated.

LADIES' AUXILIARY.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers are planning to give a whist tournament Saturday evening at Alcatraz Hall. Twelve handsome prizes are offered to the lucky scorers and the affair promises to be a success.

Those in charge of the affair are Mrs. Clara Chase, chairman of committee of arrangements, assisted by Mrs. H. Conger, Mrs. H. S. Gardiner, Mrs. Marie Barnum and Mrs. Charles Thomas.

The scorers will be Miss Hazel Chase, Miss Charlotte Thomas, Miss Ethel Barnum, Mrs. George McGraw, Mrs. Milton McGuire, Mrs. M. Barnum, Mrs. C. Chase, Mrs. Bert Bonner, Mrs. Charles Thomas and others.

WILL GIVE A RECEPTION.

Miss Edna Snyder will be hostess at a reception to be given Monday, February 22d, to forty of her schoolmates. The house will be prettily decorated in yellow and the dainty little hostess will wear a dress of pale yellow. The affair promises to be very enjoyable.

Miss Snyder is the daughter of Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder, who has just scored such a success at the Knights of Pythias' reception in Stockton by her clever monologue, "A Bill from the Milliner," by May Elizabeth Fish.

SEWING BEE.

Miss Bessie Havens entertained a happy group of girls yesterday afternoon at a "sewing bee."

Those who plied the needles included Miss Clarisse Lohse, Miss Noelle de Golia, Miss Jessie Craig, Miss Irene Bangs, Miss Isabelle Kendall, Miss Lottie Barry, Miss Anna McElrath, Miss Effie Wade and Miss Lillian Reed.

POINSETTIA CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Poinsettia Whist Club was held Friday evening at the home of Lloyd Chamberlain. The spacious rooms were artistically decorated in ferns and a profusion of hearts. Owing to the absence of one of the members the vacancy was filled by Miss Emily Chamberlain. The victorious contestants were Miss Blanche Bonham and Douglas Hughes.

MUSICAL EVENTS.

There are a number of musical events announced for the coming week and noticeable among them is the song and piano recital by Miss Julia Johnson and Miss Margaret Davis to be given tonight at the Unitarian Church. Miss Johnson has a voice of wonderful power and sweetness and Miss Davis is a pianist of rare ability.

On February 23 Miss de Fremery, organist and Mrs. Carrie Brown Dexter, the well known singer, are planning to give an invitational concert.

On Tuesday, March 1, three of John Metcalf's advanced pupils, Miss Estelle Drummond, Miss Margaret Davis and Mrs. Burns, will be heard in a concert which promises to be a great success. The following prominent artists will also contribute to the program: Miss Nina Clark, violinist; Miss Florinne Juillerat, contralto; Lowell Redfield, barytone and William Leimert, cellist.

VALENTINE PARTY.

The valentine party given by the members of the I. D. K. D. Y. club at the residence of Mrs. A. Hilton on Saturday evening last proved a success in every respect. The rooms were prettily decorated and the many lovely costumes worn by the young ladies in attendance were admired and commented upon. Music and games were the order of the evening.

Among those present were the Misses Vivian Heydenfeldt, Eleanor Bassett, Edna Downing, Ella Ward, Nadine Hilton, Flossie Monroe, Emily Martin, Ethel Howatt, Madeline Rhoda, Georgia Evans and Gertrude Smith; Albert Hill, Harry Bundy, Fred Heydenfeldt, Harold Hilton, Chester Smith, Frank and Valor Smith, Scott Monroe, Allan Tammery, George Atkinson, Nelson Lund, Fred Rhoda and Stowe Heydenfeldt.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement of Miss Opal Pierce and William R. Hume was announced recently at a tea given in San Francisco. Miss Pierce is a daughter of Judge Pierce of San Francisco and has a host of friends on both sides of the bay.

Mr. Hume is the eldest son of George W. Hume, a large stockholder in the Alaska Packers' Association, and pioneer resident of this city. William Hume has succeeded his father in the management of the association and has gained a wide reputation in the business world. No date has been fixed for the wedding.

PERSONALS.

Miss Mabel Tickell has been visiting friends in Napa.

W. W. Knickerbocker was a recent visitor in Hanford.

C. Q. Nelson has returned to his home in Woodland, after a visit with friends in Oakland.

G. N. Blackburn was a recent visitor in Woodland.

Mrs. G. C. Marvin has returned to Woodland after a visit in Oakland.

Mrs. T. Glover is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Davis, at their home near Sutter City.

S. T. Dodson of Santa Rosa, was a recent visitor in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Fennessy, who have spent the winter traveling, will return to Oakland shortly and will be the guests of Mrs. George E. Whitney on Adeline street.

Mrs. William B. Hopkins is spending the winter at Nice, in company with a number of congenial friends. She will not return until late in the spring.

CLOSING DAYS OF KELLER'S HALF-PRICE SALE ONLY EIGHT MORE

Who has not heard of Keller's half-price sale? Who has not profited by it? Who is not willing to further profit by it?

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Well, the time is on the short end, but the bargains will be on the long end, as far as you are concerned.

Some of our closing, big things, are:

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Also jerseys; for men and boys; samples that are perfectly made in good colors and weaves that are worth from $2.00 to $3.00.

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Also jerseys, men's and boys' sizes, and worth $1.00 and $2.00.
The above lots are limited, so don't let anybody get ahead of you.

FIFTY CENT SUSPENDERS AT 25c

These have fine imported webbings, beautiful mountings and cantab ends, —worth every cent of a half.

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This is a special lot of fine, all-silk neckwear in the patterns and styles that are acceptable to good dressers of to-day.

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Genuine Madras and Cheviot, $1.00 and $1.50 Shirts.
These shirts have been sold during this sale for 75c.
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AT THE MACDONOUGH.

Tonight the artists of the burnt cork, the Georgia Minstrels, make their appearance in the magic circle. The management has provided everything new. New songs, new "gags," new ideas. Some of last year's favorites will be seen again. Vraton, Simpson and Pittman, Dudley and Villey and Clarence Powell.

Tomorrow afternoon a matinee will be given and also Sunday. The Georgia Minstrels will show for three nights beginning with this evening's performance.

SHAKESPEARE MONDAY.

James and Warde return to the Macdonough Monday night. Their repertoire consists of "Othello" and "Julius Caesar," "Othello" is offered for the matinee and "Julius Caesar" for the night performance.

These two tragedies when enacted by such superior players as Louis James and Frederick Warde are brought most forcibly to the public mind. Nearly every theatre-goer has seen James and Warde and it would be superfluous to attempt to describe their work.

WEBER AND FIELDS.

Charlie Ross is in town. Weber and Fields have found him and he is one of the head liners in this wonderful aggregation of travesty talent. Mabel Fenton, who capably assisted him in their successful travesties is also booked for the team of Ross and Fenton must be complete. This team could supply fun galore in itself but Weber and Fields are never satisfied. They must have the best and all of it.

With this popular combination is Louis Mann, the Hans Nix of "The Telephone Girl" fame. Those who remember Mann as "dose inspluctor of telephones" must laugh at the mere mention of the name. Then there is "Pete" Daily, the ever popular. Who can ever tell what "Pete" is going to say and do on the stage?

John T. Kelley. That's enough. Always a laugh maker.

And "our" Lillian Russell. A world-wide reputation, a beautiful voice and unusual personal charm are hers.

Weber and Fields, stars themselves, have surrounded themselves with the best talent to be obtained for their work on the American stage.

Big things at Keller's Saturday.

BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN POISONED.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 19.—Joseph B. Canfield, superintendent of the H. C. Canfield Rubber Company and a maid servant were found dead at the Canfield residence early today. Death is believed to have been caused by poison. Arrests are expected today but the police refuse to discuss the tragedy.

EVANGELIST TO MARRY.

NEW YORK, February 19.—Charles Alexander of Chicago, the singing partner of the Rev. Dr. R. A. Torrey, the American evangelist, is reported to be engaged to marry Miss Helen Cadbury, daughter of a millionaire manufacturer residing in Birmingham, says a dispatch to the American from London. Alexander is a Yale graduate.

PROMINENT LAWYER DEAD.

NEW YORK, February 19.—Francis Forbes, a prominent lawyer and recognized authority on trade mark law, is dead at his home, here. He was recently appointed by President Roosevelt as a delegate to the International Convention of Jurists, to be held in connection with the World's Fair at St. Louis.

YOU and Coffee Agree?

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Examine yourself critically and see.

If in doubt, try **Postum** 10 days instead of coffee.

If you feel better, happier and with none of the old aches and ails, you will have found your cue to health and comfort.

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Look for the miniature book, "The Road to Wellville," in each package.

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A disease so painful and far-reaching in its effects upon the human system as Rheumatism, must have a deep and well-laid foundation. It originates and develops in the blood, and, like other diseases of the blood, is frequently inherited. The poisonous acids with which the blood is charged circulate through the system, breaking down the health, irritating the nerves, settling in joints and muscles, and causing the sharp, cutting pains peculiar to Rheumatism. Unless the blood is purified, joints and muscles become coated with the acrid matter and are rendered stiff and sore, and the nerves completely wrecked. Rheumatism, being a constitutional blood disease, requires internal treatment. Liniments, plasters and such things as are applied outwardly, give only temporary relief. S.S.S. is the recognized greatest of all blood purifiers and tonics, and in no disease does it act so promptly and beneficially as Rheumatism, neutralizing the acids and restoring the blood to a pure, healthy condition and invigorating and toning up the nerves and all parts of the system. It is guaranteed strictly vegetable. Write us should you desire medical advice, which will cost you nothing.

Columbus, O., May 30, 1903.

I had a severe attack of Inflammatory Rheumatism. I was laid up in bed for six months, and the doctors I had did me no good. They changed medicine every week, and nothing they prescribed seemed to help me. Finally I left off their medicine and began the use of S. S. S. My knee and elbow joints were so swollen and painful that I could not close them when opened. I was getting discouraged when I began S. S. S., but as I saw it was helping me, continued, and to-day am a sound, well man.

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THREE PRIZES TO BE AWARDED.

The Oakland Electrical Company (incorporated) will give the following prizes to girls and boys under 16 years of age, in the great "Lamp Guessing Contest": $10.00 first, $5.00 second and $2.50 third prize, to be given respectively to the parties registering the three nearest correct guesses as to the number of lamps in our window. Inspect window, register your vote. Coupons to be had at their store, 532-534 Thirteenth street, Oakland.

Contest opened Friday, February 12th; closes Saturday, March 5th, at 9 o'clock. Each girl or boy in Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley is entitled to one vote. All come; contest absolutely free. Prizes awarded Tuesday, March 8th, 1904.

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Store opens at 8:30 A. M. Friday, February 19th. Store closes at 5:30 P. M.

Lower Go the Garments

The price of ready-to-wear garments today touched the zero mark, the result of an all-inclusive reduction of everything but spring garments. When you combine these prices with the Taft & Pennoyer quality, and the fact that spring and winter styles will not differ greatly, you need no further buying argument.

The examples given below are representatives of many others:

A Tailor Suit

This is a natty suit of gray basket-weave cheviot. Its eton jacket is double-breasted, and has a rolling collar, turn-back cuffs, silk lining, and trimming of black moire. The seven-gored skirt has a graduated flounce.

$25.00 Suit Reduced to $10.00

Corsette Coat

Here comes one of those extremely stylish coats of tan covert. It has a rolling collar, and full sleeves, and is lined with satin.

$15.00 Coats Reduced to $10.00

Flannelette Wrappers

Wrappers of striped and figured flannelette with full front, fitted back, and gathered flounce—prettily trimmed.

$2.25 Wrappers Reduced to $1.25

Child's Coat

This garment is of red zibeline, loose, and double-breasted. It has a ten-inch cape, and turn-over collar. Both cape and collar are trimmed with black and white silk braid.

$7.50 Child's Coats Reduced to $4.00

Kimonas

These are misses' kimonas of blue and white striped tennis flannel. They have a cord and tassel at the waist, and are trimmed with bands of white.

$2.00 Kimonas Reduced to $1.35

Waists

A lightweight French flannel has been used in this waist. It has a fancy stock, is tucked to form a yoke, and piped and stitched in white. In colors you have choice of French blue, red, navy, and black and white.

$3.75 Waists Reduced to $2.15

Eiderdown Sacques

This eiderdown sacque is to be had in red or gray. It is fully finished, and has a ribbon at the neck and prettily crochetted edges.

$1.25 Eiderdown Sacques Reduced to 75c

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Unprecedented Reductions

Never in its history have such sweeping reductions been made in the art department. Every piece of statuary, every picture, and every piece of pottery has had from thirty-three and one-third to fifty per cent cut from its price. These unprecedented reductions make unprecedented saving opportunities for you.

Japanese blue china cups—reduced from 25c to 12½c
Ten-inch Austrian glass carnation vases—reduced from 40c to 25c
Royal Born rose decorated vases—reduced from 75c to 50c
Large seventeen-inch bust of Pope Leo—reduced from $1.75 to 75c
English prints of hunt scenes, framed, 12x14—reduced from $1.50 to $1.00
Imported green bronze candlesticks—reduced from $1.75 to $1.20
Decorated French china covered vegetable dishes—reduced from $2.75 to $1.40
Brass 5 o'clock tea kettle and stand—reduced from $2.50 to $1.70
Doulton jardinier in blue and gold—reduced from $3.00 to $2.00
Carved flemish oak and Spanish cedar pipe rack—reduced from $4.50 to $3.00
Swiss carved cuckoo clocks—reduced from $6.75 to $4.50
Polished walnut or mahogany finished pedestals—40 inches high—reduced from $12.50 to $8.35

TAFT & PENNOYER
Broadway Fourteenth

KOREAN SOLDIERS MAKE ATTACK.

CHARGE ELECTRIC CARRIAGE OF AMERICAN AND INJURE OPERATOR.

WASHINGTON, February 19.—United States Minister Allen has cabled the State Department from Seoul under yesterday's date that a company of Korean soldiers attacked an electric carriage belonging to an American citizen Wednesday, injuring the operator.

American seamen quieted the disturbance.

RUSSIAN FLAGS FOR EMPEROR OF JAPAN.

TOKIO, February 19.—Captain Kurakami, commander of the Japanese armored ship Chiyoda, today presented the Emperor with the shot-torn flags of the Russian cruisers Variag and Korietz, which were sunk at Chemulpo on February 9th. The Emperor was much affected. He congratulated Kurakami and made him the bearer of an affectionate message to the officers and men of the fleet.

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BRITISH STEAMER IN BAD COLLISION AND MUCH DAMAGE IS DONE.

LONDON, February 19.—The Belgian steamer Phillippi Ville, which left Antwerp yesterday for Congo with a hundred passengers on board, went ashore off Dungeness, Kent, in a fog, today. Lifeboats and tugs are in attendance upon her. She was subsequently floated and proceeded for her destination.

The British steamer Lake Michigan, from St. John, N. B., and Halifax, for London, has been in collision near Dungeness, and is awaiting tugs.

She is seriously damaged amidships. Her engine room and stoke hole became full of water, the captain signalling that the water was gaining on the cargo and that the steamer was finally beached in a sinking condition.

The vessel with which the Lake Michigan collided was the British bark Matterhorn, from San Francisco September 18 for Antwerp. She has passed Dover in tow, with her headgear gone and her bow damaged.

CHARGES NOT TRUE.

Two children were the cause of a reconciliation this morning between Albert and Bertha Henning, who were parties to a divorce suit begun in the Superior Court, in which Albert Henning accused his wife of unfaithfulness and a liking of the society of other men, while in retaliation she accused him of cruelty.

The suit was dismissed with the consent of Judge Ogden today by mutual consent of both parties, it appearing that tale bearers had brought to the ears of the husband charges against Mrs. Henning which she had proven were false.

Husband and wife had met to talk over the disposition of their two children, which neither the one nor the other was willing to abandon. During their talk the foundation of all their troubles was gone over and it was found that both sides had made charges and given too much credence to things which had no foundation in fact.

The family was soon united when this conclusion had been arrived at by both of them, and husband and wife today asked that their action be stricken from the docket.

BATTERY WAS EXCUSABLE.

Judgement was suspended this morning by Police Judge Smith in the case of Walter Peckell who is charged with battering Eugene Von Pap. The extenuating circumstannes were very strong in favor of Peckell. Both are employed at the Southern Pacific Railroad Yards.

JAPAN'S VIEW OF THE WAR.

(Continued From Page 1.)

ment of its position in regard to the neutrality of the latter country was made public today. Its text is as follows:

"The Imperial Government, desiring to avoid as far as possible a disturbance of the peaceful condition of affairs which prevails in China, will, in all parts of Chinese territory, excepting the regions occupied now by Russia, respect the neutrality of China, so long as Russia does the same.

"The rules of war which govern the forces of Japan in the field do not permit the wanton destruction of property. Accordingly, the Imperial Chinese Government may rest assured that the Masoleums and palaces at Mukden and Hsingking, and public buildings in China everywhere will be secured from any injury not attributable to the action of Russia.

"Furthermore, the rights of Chinese officials and inhabitants within the zone of military operations will, in their persons and property be fully respected and protected by the imperial forces, so far as military necessity permits. In the event, however, that they should extend aid and comfort to the enemy of Japan, the Imperial Government reserves to themselves the right to take such action as circumstances require.

"It only remains to say, in conclusion, that the present war is not being waged by Japan for the purpose of conquest, but solely in defense of her legitimate rights and interests, consequently, that the Imperial Government have no intention to acquire territory at the expense of China as a result of the conflict.

"The Imperial Government also wish the Imperial Chinese Government to clearly understand that whatever action may be taken by them on Chinese territory, which is made the theater of war, will be the result of military necessity, and not in impairment of Chinese sovereignty."

EXCITEMENT IN WHEAT MARKET.

CHICAGO, February 19.—Attended by excitement not often equalled, wheat advanced today nearly four cents a bushel. The grain pits on 'Change were from start to finish a scene of almost continuous pandemonium. The long coveted goal in speculative trading—"Dollar wheat"—was made a mere reminiscence. May delivery today sold as high as $1.03 a bushel. The price named is 3½ a 3⅝c over yesterday's closing figure. Today's close was within ¼c of the highest point of the day.

JAPANESE WARSHIP.

SHANGHAI, February 19.—A large warship of Japan's fleet arrived at Wo Sung, eighteen miles from Shanghai, today.

PLANING MILL BURNED.

W. T. JETER'S HOME HAS A NARROW ESCAPE FROM DESTRUCTION.

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., February 19.—The Loma Priesta Company's planing mill near the Union depot was discovered to be on fire at 2:30 o'clock this morning, the flames being first noticed in the boiler room. The fire department responded promptly but the fire spread so rapidly that all efforts to check it proved unavailing and the company's office and thousands of feet of dressed lumber were soon a dense mass of flame. Luckily no wind was blowing. The heat was so intense that the windows of "Sunshine Villa," the home of ex-Lieutenant Governor William T. Jeter on Beach Hill, overlooking the scene were cracked and water was played on the residence.

The building and machinery are a total loss, estimated at about $50,000. Residences in the vicinity were saved the fire being confined to the mill property.

The cause of the fire is unknown.

WAR NEWS.

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12,000 men from the division of Moscow, Kieff and Varsovic.

Before twelve days have passed the Russians will have disposed of an army of 400,000 men through Manchuria. Intense demoralization exists among the populace and the people of the surrounding villages are flocking into the town, seeking to reach Western Russia. The railroad trains, however, are blocked and over 2000 voyagers are thus held up. The intense cold prevailing increases the suffering and adds to the difficulties of bringing forward troops.

GERMAN TROOPS IN CHINA.

BERLIN, February 19.—In considering an item in the Foreign Office budget, providing $3,500,000 for expenses in the Far East, including the maintenance of German troops at Kiao Chau, Shan Tung province, and the Chi Li province, China, some of the members of the Reichstag appropriations committee today objected to the expenditures as being unnecessarily burdensome.

Foreign Secretary Von Richtofen confidentially communicated to the committee certain information about Far Eastern conditions, but, he added in the public session, that Germany has 1939 men, including non-combatants. Great Britain 2725, France 1787, Japan 1287 and Italy 771 men in China. The present force in Chi Li province, the Secretary explained, was really too weak to maintain internal order, while the 600 reserves in Kai Chow were a slender precaution for the preservation of the neutrality of that district. This was no time, he added, to weaken German representation diplomatically or militarily in the Far East.

RUSSIA HAS MADE REPLY.

ST. PETERSBURG, February 19.—Russia's reply to Secretary Hay's note on China was handed to Ambassador McCormick today.

WASHINGTON, February 19.—Secretary Hay received by cable from Ambassador McCormick the reply of the Russian Government to the proposition relating to Chinese neutrality. It is considered by the Department to be responsive to our note and its substance has been communicated to the Governments of Japan and China.

CENSORSHIP IS ABOLISHED.

ST. PETERSBURG, February 19.—The Russian Government has abolished the censorship of all cablegrams going abroad.

CARNIVAL WEEK IN ST. PETERSBURG.

ST. PETERSBURG, February 19.—Today and tomorrow, the closing days of the carnival week, will be observed practically only by a cessation of work. There will be little rejoicing. Such a carnival time is not remembered. There have been no festivities and no gay parties to the island. Instead, people gathered about the bands playing in the streets or followed the troops in passage for the front.

No news from abroad on renewed Japanese attacks on Port Arthur has been confirmed, although private advices continue to report an attempted landing, which was repulsed.

The Novoe Vremya, in a leading editorial on Secretary Hay's proposal in regard to the neutrality of China, says it does not see why Russia cannot agree to it, if it means only Chinese neutrality. The document seems to protect Russia from a flank attack, the Novoe Vremya adds, "and recognizes her exceptional position north of the Great Wall, but the note stands or falls with the reality of Chinese neutrality. So long as China honestly and successfully maintains neutrality Russia will be unwilling to violate it."

An official communication announcing Russia's withdrawal from participation in the St. Louis Exposition is published in the following terms:

"The Ministry of Finance hereby brings to the notice of intending exhibitors at St. Louis that in view of the refusal of merchants and manufacturers, owing to existing circumstances, to send exhibits to America, the Russian Government has recognized the necessity to decline to participate in the aforesaid exposition."

W. N. Kokovzoff, who yesterday was appointed Finance Minister in succession of M. Pleske, is considered to be a most determined opponent of the financial policy of M. Witte, who resigned his position as Minister of Finance in August last. He has for many years been ambitious to become Finance Minister, and was appointed M. Witte's assistant, while the latter held the portfolio, but owing to a disagreement he resigned. M. Kokovzoff is regarded here as being a safe, conservative financier, and it is believed that under his administration Russia's credit abroad will be sustained. In spite of the appointment it is persistently rumored that M. Witte will be given supreme control of the finances.

As a means of meeting the extraordinary war expenses, the Bourse Gazette says it believes the present is a favorable time for an income tax, which will not meet with opposition owing to the general readiness of the nation to share the burden imposed by the war.

FRANCE WILL REMAIN NEUTRAL.

PARIS, February 19.—It is announced officially that the French Government has issued instructions relative to the observance of neutrality which are the same as those issued during the Spanish-American war, but it is pointed out that the French navigation laws contain no positive requirement that belligerent vessels shall leave a neutral port within twenty-four hours and that therefore this matter is one of regulation by custom instead of being a legal requirement, as under the British navigation laws.

No change has yet been announced relative to permitting the Russian squadron to remain at Jubuti, French Somaliland, the authorities evidently being desirous to fully observe the requirements of neutrality without unnecessarily causing offense or embarrassment to a power with which France is closely allied.

RUSSIAN WARSHIP IS AT CANARY.

MADRID, February 19.—A Russian warship has arrived at a Canary Island port. The authorities have notified her commander that his ship may remain in port for a limited time, but that he cannot be supplied with coal in quantity more than sufficient to enable him to reach the nearest Russian port.

Premier Mura denies the report that the British Government hinted to Spain the necessity for adopting measures to safeguard neutrality in the Russo-Japanese dispute, asserting that no diplomatic negotiations whatever have been received on the subject and that the military steps taken were a step forward by the most elementary prudence.

OFFERS BATTLESHIP FOR RUSSIA.

NEW YORK, February 19.—An agent of one of the foreign powers has offered to supply Russia with a small battleship, constructed in 1890, two cruisers and two torpedo catchers, says a Herald dispatch from St. Petersburg. Much mystery is thrown about the matter and Russia is said to hesitate in closing the deal because the ships are out of date.

Whether with the authority of his Government or not, the agent backs his offer by saying that if it is not accepted the ships will be sold to the Japanese.

Two hundred and fifty picked shipwrights have been taken from the Baltic works here to go to Port Arthur to do all that is possible to repair the ships there. The great difficulty, however, is that, unlike Vladivostok, Port Arthur has no dry dock capable of holding big ships of war.

The loss of the transport Manchuria will be keenly felt, for the vessel is said to have had on board 100 quick-firing guns as well as large supplies of dynamite and ammunition.

RUSSIAN TROOPS ARE ADVANCING.

NEW YORK, February 19.—Reports received here from Korea state that Russian troops are advancing toward Seoul and that a strong position at Ping Yang has been occupied by them, says a Herald dispatch from Tokio.

Their present movements, however, do not indicate any immediate intention of attacking the Korean capital. The Japanese Legation in Seoul has been greatly strengthened during the last few days.

SPECIAL PAPER MONEY.

NEW YORK, February 19.—The Japanese Government has decided, says a Herald dispatch from Seoul, to issue special paper money for military use throughout Korea, redeemable in gold coin.

TO BUY WARSHIP.

NEW YORK, February 19.—Both England and France are trying to buy four or five Chilean warships, says a Herald dispatch from Valparaiso. The English bid is the better one.

It is also rumored that England has made a proposal to buy all the Chilean squadron excepting three French-built ships.

THEY ARE NEUTRAL.

NEW YORK, February 19.—Proclamations of neutrality during the war between Russia and Japan have been issued by the Governments of Brazil and Argentine, according to a Herald dispatch from Rio de Janeiro and Buenos Ayres.

Big things at Keller's Saturday.

S. P. WINS CASE.

The Southern Pacific won its point this morning in regard to the possession of a block of land bounded by Kirkham, Fifth and Cypress streets, which was awarded to it recently by a jury for $4000. The railway brought a suit in condemnation of the property, it wanting the land for the purposes of establishing a freight yard in West Oakland. The company had succeeded in purchasing all the property surrounding the piece in question, which was held by Mrs. Gretchen Feldman and her sons. They wanted $15,000 for the land, while the company offered $5000. As they were unable to compromise the railroad, through its attorney, A. A. Moore, brought suit, and the jury fixed the value of the land at $4000.

Last week Attorney Moore came into court and asked Judge Ogden to make an order giving the railway the right to enter upon possession of the land. As a bar to this, however, Mrs. Feldman's attorney stated that they had appealed from the verdict of the jury to the Supreme Court, and resisted any effort of the railway to gain possession of the land until the case had been decided by the higher court.

Judge Ogden held that the railway ought to deposit such a sum as to indemnify Mrs. Feldman from any loss. In case the higher court should reverse the decision of the lower court, but believed that the company should not be delayed two years and a half in its work in waiting for the decision. He therefore ordered the company to pay into the hands of the County Clerk the sum of $10,000, such part of which Mrs. Feldman could get as the court would award her as damages in case the decision was in her favor.

The land in question, it was shown, was unimproved marsh land upon which there was nothing and a part of which was covered by a large pond.

MURDERED FOR HIS MONEY.

HELENA, Mont., February 19.—The body of an unknown man was found on the prairie near Stockat. There were five bullet holes in the body and the victim's pockets were turned wrong side out. A companion of the man has disappeared. The victim is known to have had $80.

BOURSE BROKER SUICIDES.

BERLIN, February 19.—Max H. Meir, a well known broker on the Bourse, shot and killed himself with a revolver at his villa last night. His mind had become disordered owing to the loss of $100,000 by a fall in Russian securities. Herr Meir had, however, a fortune several times larger than his liabilities.

BUILDING ORDINANCE.

At the meeting of the Real Estate Dealers' Association last night, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, a building ordinance was introduced in the City Council last August and has not yet been passed.

"Resolved, That the president of this association respectfully request the president of the City Council to urge upon that body the importance of the final passage of said ordinances at the earliest date possible."

NATIVE DAUGHTERS.

The Native Daughters of the Golden West gave a social and dance last evening at Foresters' Hall. The occasion brought out a large attendance. The program was specially attractive and among those who took part was Miss Gussie Alexander, a young lady well known in social circles, who gave some negro impersonations. She made a hit in the coon songs, "I Don't Care What Happens to Me" and "Bedella." The program was a most acceptable one and the entertainment as a whole was a success.

Love may be blind, but there is always a spark of feeling between lovers.

Specials at Smith Bros.

Oriental Bond

Special sale of this popular note paper, in four sizes.

White and azure, 124 sheets and 124 envelopes octave size, 250 pieces.
Special ....$1.20 or 15c quire
Vassar size, white; 124 sheets and 124 envelopes.
Special ..$1.20 or 15c quire
Gladstone size;, azure; 124 sheets and 124 envelopes.
Special $1.70
Commercial size; azure; 124 sheets and 124 envelopes.
Special..$1.70 or 20c quire

Premier Bond

A good light-weight paper for foreign use; commercial size; white and azure; 124 sheets and 124 envelopes.
Special .. $1.20 or 15c quire

Oriental Bond Tablets

—azure; letter size; plain; special 40c; envelopes to match 20c package.

Leather Goods Specials

Prices cut in half on Wrist Bags.

Black and colored Wrist Bags; silk lined with gold-plated mountings. Regular price $5.75. Now.. .. ..$2.90

German silver and gold-plated Wrist Bags; regular $5.00; now $2.50; regular $4.50 now $2.25

Other styles—$3.75 values—now.. .. ..$1.90
$3.50 values now.....$1.75
$2.35 values now.. ....$1.20
$2.00 values now.. .....$1.00
$1.50 values now.. .... 75c
50c values now.. ..... 25c
Genuine Seal Collar and Cuff Boxes. Special....$2.00

Work Box, made of embossed leather. Regular $3.50, now $1.50.

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Art Dealers—Booksellers—Stationers
462-464 THIRTEENTH STREET Bet. Broadway and Washington

Oaklanders have been to Los Angeles—but

not one of them saw a Carpet, Rug, Curtain or Matting House that does as well by its patrons as we do.

Nowhere in Los Angeles, or elsewhere is such splendid Japanese MATTING being sold for

20c yard

as we are now offering.

It's new, in good carpet patterns, and is worth 35c yard.

There's a good supply yet, but don't wait.

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1114 BROADWAY.

School Girls

Mothers of young girls at this period of life, or the girl herself, are earnestly invited to write Mrs. Pinkham for advice; all such letters are strictly confidential; she has guided in a motherly way thousands of young women; and her advice is freely and cheerfully given.

School days are danger days for American girls. Often physical collapse follows, and it takes years to recover the lost vitality. Sometimes it is never recovered. Perhaps they are not over-careful about keeping their feet dry; through carelessness in this respect the monthly sickness is usually rendered very severe. Then begin ailments which should be removed at once, or they will produce constant suffering. Headache, faintness, slight vertigo, pains in the back and loins, irregularity, loss of sleep and appetite, a tendency to avoid the society of others, are symptoms all indicating that the organs that make her a woman need immediate attention.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

has helped many a young girl over this critical period. With it they have gone through their trials with courage and safety. With its proper use the young girl is safe from the peculiar dangers of school years and prepared for healthy womanhood.

A Young Chicago Girl "Studied Too Hard."

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I wish to thank you for the help and benefit I have received through the use of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills.** When I was about 17 years old I suddenly seemed to lose my usual good health and vitality. Father said I studied too hard, but the doctor thought different and prescribed tonics, which I took by the quart without relief. Reading one day in the paper of Mrs. Pinkham's great cures, and finding the symptoms described answered mine, I decided I would give **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** a trial. I did not say a word to the doctor; I bought it myself, and took it according to directions regularly for two months, and I found that I gradually improved, and that all pains left me, and I was my old self once more."—LILLIE E. SINCLAIR, 17 E. 22d St., Chicago, Ill.

"Miss Pratt Unable to Attend School."

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel it my duty to tell all young women how much **Lydia E. Pinkham's** wonderful **Vegetable Compound** has done for me. I was completely run down, unable to attend school, and did not care for any kind of society, but now I feel like a new person, and have gained seven pounds of flesh in three months. I recommend it to all young women who suffer from female weakness."—Miss ALMA PRATT, Holly, Mich.

Thousands of such testimonials prove that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the one sure remedy to be relied upon at this important period in a young girl's life. Look for the bottle with Lydia E. Pinkham's face on it, and accept no other.

$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness.
Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

TRADE CONDITIONS OF WEEK.

REPORTS SHOW BUSINESS TO BE STEADILY IMPROVING.

NEW YORK, February 19.—The most striking of the business week, as shown by special telegrams from correspondents of the International Mercantile Agency throughout the United States and Candad is found in Pittsburg advices that constituent steel corporation companies making steel bars find the improvement in demand sufficient to warrant discussion of a voluntary offer to advance wages a month hence.

Quite as significant are reports to the International Mercantile Agency from New England that the volume of railway traffic there in general merchandise lines is 15 per cent heavier than a year ago; that it is heavier than a year ago on roads centering at Chicago, at Duluth and the "Twin Cities" at St. Louis and New Orleans and is but slightly below last year's total at Pittsburg with the volume increasing.

This, in the face of interruptions to traffic by snow, ice and extreme cold weather, presents a more favorable situation respecting current distribution of goods than had been supposed. Prices of shoes are to be advanced soon. Smaller new England cotton mills may have to shut down during the summer months owing to uncertainty of supplies. Conservative Southern advices say many interior buyers are unquestionably loaded with high priced cotton and unless prices advance effects may be felt later. Further investigation concerning winter wheat and range cattle shows that recent severity of weather has caused only nominal losses in either direction. Western Pennsylvania expert opinion inclines to the view that there will be no strike of bituminous coal miners between the Alleghenies and the Mississippi where operators have refused to meet demands made.

In the Southwest, spring trade has been relatively most active, particularly in dry goods, shoes and clothing. Chicago packers have large orders abroad believed to be on account of the war in the Far East.

The only thing is railway grain rate cutting which has attracted attention was the effort to explain. It is without significance. Foreign war complications have stimulated wheat prices to the highest point reached in six years. Baltimore jobbers will be able to supply the bulk of orders on hand but will not handle as much business during the spring as if there had been no fire. Less trade than expected has gone elsewhere. The city's financial loss, over and above insurance, is estimated at from $40,000,000 to $75,000,000.

General trade in the Dominion of Canada continues quiet. Interest is taken in the proposed re-organization of consolidated Lake Superior as the Canadian Improvement Company, in which it is said the government will become financially interested. The business community is interested in the apparent hitch in ratification of the arrangement between the Grand Trunk Pacific and the government. It is regarded as certain, however, that the new transcontinental railway will be constructed. The expenditure it is thought, will involve $100,000,000.

WILL CONSIDER JUVENILE CORRECTION AND REFORMATION.

The third annual session of the State Conference of Charities and Corrections convenes in San Francisco next Sunday and will last three days.

All the regular sessions of the conference will be held in the First Unitarian Church at the corner of Geary and Franklin streets. In the morning Dr. Samuel G. Smith will occupy the pulpit of the First Congregational Church and Hon. Ben. B. Lindsey, Judge Juvenile Court of Denver will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church.

The conference will be formally opened in the evening by an address by Frank J. Symmes, president of the conference. The forenoon sessions will begin at 11 o'clock, afternoon sessions at 2:30 o'clock and the evening sessions at 8 p. m.

COUNCILMEN TALK OF BONDS.

MATTERS DISCUSSED AT THE MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE.

The Bay Cities' project was not submitted to the Committee of the Whole of the City Council last night but will be presented at the next meeting of the committee. Mr. Beal, the general manager of the Bay Cities Water Company stated in a letter that his company was not yet quite ready to submit another proposition to the city.

The meeting of the Special Bond Committee and the Committee of the Whole were executive. A number of subjects bearing on the water question were discussed and from the amount of noise issuing from the executive chamber it is surmised that some of the conversation and discussion was of a heated character. Councilman Elliot's voice and the voice of Councilman Aitken could be heard every now and then above the din.

BOND PROPOSITION.

The work accomplished by the committee was as follows: The report of the Special Bond Committee, recommending the issuance of $3,500,000 worth of bonds was referred to the City Attorney for the preliminary preparation of the call for a special election and also to pass upon the legal phases of the report. The clerk was also instructed to furnish each member of the council with a copy of the report.

DORNIN'S STATEMENT.

The communication from the Bay Cities Water Company was then taken up. President Dornin made the following statement of the status of the negotiations:

"Mr. Beal, general manager of the Bay Cities Water Company, called at my office this morning for an interview with Mr. Pendleton and myself, relative to meeting with the Committee of the Whole this evening. We also discussed the advisability of immediately presenting a new proposition for the consideration of the council. In view of the fact that the council has before it the matter of fixing water rates for the ensuing fiscal year, and that this work of necessity must occupy nearly all of the available time of this body, Mr. Pendleton and myself requested that if it was agreeable to the Bay Cities Water Company, the question of a new proposal would be deferred until the rate fixing was out of the way. Mr. Beal expressed himself as perfectly satisfied to have the matter go over."

COUNCILMEN CLASH.

The next matter to come before the committee was that of Aitken's resolution demanding that the water rate be pushed to a conclusion. Mr. Aitken and Councilman Elliot had a warm discussion over the matter, finally compromising on the matter by asking the City Attorney to make a report on the exact status of the suit to the council. The City Attorney was further requested to prosecute the case with all due diligence.

COPLIN'S PETITION.

The petition of A. D. Coplin for the establishment of a Bureau of Buildings was referred to Councilman Baccus as a special committee on building ordinances.

The petition of W. J. Cuthbertson for an appointment as building inspector was also referred to Councilman Baccus.

The recommendation of Mayor Warren Olney as to the changing of the name of Telegraph avenue to University avenue was referred to Councilman Meese as a special committee to confer with the Mayor.

FIXING WATER RATES.

Before the committee adjourned it decided to request that the Contra Costa Water Company be directed to send a special representative to the council next Tuesday evening to give the proper information relative to the affairs of the company to be used in fixing water rates.

ART EXHIBITION.

The exhibition of the Oakland Art Fund will be opened tomorrow evening in the First Unitarian Church. The evening will be devoted to the reception of the artists. Admission will be by invitation only and restricted to the patrons and their guests. On the following Monday the doors will be opened to the public at a nominal entrance fee. During the reception a musical program will be rendered by well-known musicians.

Light refreshments will also be served. As there are now nearly 280 subscribers, a large attendance is expected. The exhibition will surpass in quality all previous efforts.

A musical program will also be rendered on Monday and Friday evenings of next week.

RELIGIOUS THOUGHT WILL SOLVE IT.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 19.—Carroll D. Wright, United States Commissioner of Labor, in a speech here on the question "Is There Any Solution of the Labor Problem?" said:

"Law has always failed to adjust wages, and its efforts in that direction have done more harm than good. Socialism is an ambitious remedy, but it is not a vital principle. It is not a constructive force.

"The decalogue is as good a labor platform as any. In religion we find the highest form of solution offered. Next to religion comes constructive evolution—that evolution which believes in the potency of effect. We are to have a new law of wages, grown out of religious thought. The application of this religious idea is the true solution of the labor problem."

Mr. Wright said that the late Abram T. Hewitt and the late Senator Hanna were two of the greatest friends that labor had ever known.

SAYS GOOD THINGS ABOUT HANNA.

CHICAGO, February 19.—President Charles F. Thwing, D. D., LL. D., at a meeting of the alumni association of the Northwest of Western Reserve University, here, said:

"At this time one does not forget that Senator Hanna was for a time a student in the old university. Senator Hanna was not a scholar but he was a thinker. He also embodied the fine qualities of the gentleman. But above all he was a great public servant. As an employer of labor he wished to be just to the laborer. As one who stood, in a sense, for capital, he wished to be fair to capital. He knew well that no endeavor in the solution of the present industrial crisis could be of permanent value unless it proved to be of benefit to both capital and labor. He was republican in politics but he desired to use his partisan relationship for the benefit of all."

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Jonathan Tryon Hughes Edwards, sixth in line of direct descendants of Jonathan Edwards, is dead, at his home here. More than five thousands descendants of the famous educator knew him as "Cousin Tryon."

OPERATIONS A FAD.

Public Gradually Awakens to the Fact.

The latest fad in operations has been the appendicitis fad; before that the fad for rectal operations (piles, etc.) held sway. Hundreds of patients were frightened and hurried into hospitals, operated upon and robbed of their last dollar, when the trouble was a simple case of hemorrhoids or piles only, easily cured at home with a simple remedy costing but fifty cents a box.

"I procured one fifty cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure of my druggist, with the intention of buying a larger box later, but was happily surprised when I found that I was cured, and still have six 'pyramids' left out of the first and only box. I have not had the least sign of piles since I used this one box, which has been about two months; previous to using Pyramid Pile Cure I had the worst kind of bleeding and protruding piles for over thirty-one years, and no one knows, except those who have had the piles, the pain and misery I suffered.

"I am a poor man, but have often said I would give a fortune, if I had it, to be cured of the piles, and now I have been cured for fifty cents. I should be very ungrateful if did not thank you and give you every privilege to use my name and this letter, when I know there are so many who suffer as I did." J. A. Welsmiller, 1100 Bladensburg Road, Washington, D. C.

The Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., publish a little book on the causes and cure of piles, which they will be glad to mail free to any applicant, and we advise all sufferers from this painful disease to write to them for it.

NO DARIES IN THE CITY.

COUNCIL WILL PASS AN ORDINANCE ON THE SUBJECT.

The committee of the City Council met last night and transacted much business of interest to the taxpayers of Oakland. The following councilmen were present: Aitken, Baccus, Cuvellier, Elliot, McAdam, Meese, Pendleton, Wallace and President Dornin.

NO DAIRIES IN CITY.

As a result of the protest against the San Pablo Dairy on Sixty-fifth street, Councilman Elliot introduced a resolution calling on the City Attorney to prepare an ordinance which would prevent the existence of dairies within the city limits. There is now an ordinance which prevents any person having more than two cows in his or her possession but this ordinance does not apply to the annexed district. The new ordinance will cover this section of the city also.

RESOLUTIONS.

The resolution authorizing the City Assessor to obtain assessment books from County Assessor was recommended for passage by the council.

The resolution requesting the purchase of four Peerless hand street sweepers at a cost not to exceed $200 was laid over.

The ordinance prescribing the height of smoke stacks in the residence districts was favorably recommended.

THEATRICAL ORDINANCE.

The theatrical ordinance owing to changes suggested by the various members was laid over until the next regular meeting of the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Councilman Meese objected to the fact that two firemen should be at each performance at the expense of the city which he said would amount to $10,000 a year.

Councilman Cuvellier explained that in San Francisco it had been tried to make the theatres pay the firemen but that it was impractical. To make the theatres bear the burden in a measure, Mr. Cuvellier said that the cost of their licenses would be raised so as to compensate the city.

Another change suggested was that a special preparation of asbestos now being used in the East be procured.

NEW ALARM SYSTEM.

The appropriating of $1,250 for installing electric alarm system in engine house to be erected on Santa Clara avenue was favorably recommended.

The protest of property owners against laying cement sidewalk on Sixty-fifth street between San Pablo avenue and eastern boundary of city was sustained.

The petition of Rev. P. C. Yorke for a sewer in East Sixteenth street from Sixteenth avenue to Fourteenth avenue was recommended.

The petition of the Ransome Construction Company for a sewer in Locksley avenue between Summer and Clifton streets was recommended.

UNDERGROUND WIRES.

The matter of directing that the wires of the Western Union Company be put underground was referred to the City Attorney for an opinion as to the right of the council to direct the work being done. The company in a letter asked that they be informed as to the wish of the council.

The protest against grading, curbing and macadamizing Nineteenth street between East Twelfth street and East Fourteenth street was laid over one week.

NEW CULVERTS.

The Street Committee last night authorized Councilman Baccus and Superintendent of Streets Ott to put a culvert underneath the railroad track at First and Castro streets. The recent rains compelled mills in that vicinity to suspend operations.

The protest against granting a franchise to the Oakland Transit on East Fourteenth street between Twelfth and First avenues, was laid over one week.

The petition of V. L. Fartin to have the Woodward Watson Planing Mills declared a nuisance was filed.

WHARVES AND WATER FRONT.

The Wharves and Water Front Committee recommended that $75 be appropriated for the protection of the city's piles from the ravages of limnoria.

The resolution authorizing City Engineer Turner to make surveys and soundings at the foot of Grove street was recommended.

The report from City Attorney recommending claim of C. H. Halton for $25 be paid was recommended for passage.

Big things at Keller's Saturday.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

METROPOLE—C. F. Peckham, New York, G. P. Piazzoni, G. Cadenesso, D. McGarrity, Thomas Harraway, San Francisco; Mrs. Davitt and family, New York; J. E. Cosgriff, Salt Lake City; Miss E. Cosgriff, Salt Lake City; D. W. Hobson, San Francisco.

CRELLIN—H. B. Kline, New York; George T. Huhr, Auburn, Cal.; C. E. Young, Newark, New Jersey; George B. Franklin, San Francisco; Charles Mooney and wife, Philadelphia.

ALBANY—P. Manning and wife, ——; J. W. Cristy and wife, Los Angeles; Mrs. Barnett and daughter, New York; D. T. Fowler, Oakland; W. Wiseman, Sacramento; H. Evans, San Francisco.

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Steamers due and to sail today and for the next seven days are as follows:

DEPART.

Steamers.	For—	Sails.
Umatilla	Victoria, Puget Sound and Alaska	Feb. 20
Alameda	Honolulu	Feb. 20
San Jose	New York, via Panama	Feb. 20
Point Arena	Mendocino and Point Arena	Feb. 20
Alliance	Eureka and Coos Bay	Feb. 20
Coos Bay	San Pedro and way ports	Feb. 21
Santa Rosa	San Diego and way ports	Feb. 21
North Fork	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Feb. 21
George W. Elder	Astoria and Portland	Feb. 22
Pomona	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Feb. 22
Alliance	Eureka and Coos Bay	Feb. 22
Eureka	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Feb. 23
Arcata	Coos Bay and Port Orford	Feb. 23
W. H. Kruger	Los Angeles	Feb. 24
Queen	Victoria, Puget Sound, Alaska	Feb. 25
Bonita	Newport, San Pedro, etc.	Feb. 25
State of California	San Diego and way ports	Feb. 25
Corona	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Feb. 25
Centennial	Seattle and Tacoma	Feb. 25
Pomo	Point Arena and Albion	Feb. 25
San Pedro	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Feb. 25
G. C. Lindauer	Astoria and Portland	Feb. 25

ARRIVE.

Steamers.	From—	Due.
Pomona	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Feb. 20
Queen	Alaska, Puget Sound and Victoria	Feb. 21
Centennial	Seattle and Tacoma	Feb. 21
Algoa	Hongkong, via Yokohama	Feb. 21
Eureka	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Feb. 21
G. C. Lindauer	Portland	Feb. 21
Alliance	Portland and way ports	Feb. 21
Gipsy	Santa Cruz and Monterey	Feb. 21
Arcata	Coos Bay and Port Orford	Feb. 21
Anubis	Hamburg via Guatemala	Feb. 22
Sierra	Sydney via Auckland, Honolulu	Feb. 22
State of California	San Diego and way ports	Feb. 22
Santa Cruz	Newport, San Pedro, etc.	Feb. 22
Clavering	Hongkong, via Manzanillo	Feb. 22
Corona	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Feb. 23
Pomo	Point Arena and Albion	Feb. 23
Sequoia	Gray's Harbor	Feb. 23
Coronado	Gray's Harbor	Feb. 23
Chehalis	Gray's Harbor	Feb. 24
Acapulco	New York via Panama	Feb. 24
Oregon	Portland and Astoria	Feb. 24
Memphis	Seattle	Feb. 24
Santa Rosa	San Diego and way ports	Feb. 25

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Stmr Brunswick, Ellefsen, 19 hours from Fort Bragg with stmr National City in tow.
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Stmr Arctic, Nelson, 24 hours from Eureka.
Stmr Gipsy, Leland, 20 hours from Moss Landing and way ports.
Stmr George Loomis, Badger, 84 hours from Seattle.
Stmr Santa Rosa, Alexander, 41 hours from San Diego.
Stmr Point Arena, Miller, 14 hours from Mendocino, via Point Arena 12 hours.
Stmr Lakme, Christiansen, 52 hours from San Pedro.
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OFFICIAL RECORDS.

THURSDAY, February 18, 1904.

DEEDS.

February 18, 04—Carsten and Anna Abrott to John and Frieda Meyer, Oakland, lot 4 block B Golden Gate tract; 10.

February 15, 04—Augusta M Taylor exix Estate John Taylor to H A Dodge, E Okd, all int E Howard 162-6 N Brooklyn av N 40 by E 130; $425.

January 20, 04—Eugene P Foss and Hannah Wells (widow) by Edwin Whitcomb their atty. Gilbert and Margaret E Wyman to Sarah T Robinson wf E T, E Okd, N Peralta av 150 E Oak E 56 N 152.60 W 206 S 50 E 150 S 102.60 lots 5 and 8 of plot 17 amended map Lakeview; $10.

July 7, 03—Victoria E Morse (widow) by J C McMullen atty to same, E Okd, und ½ lots 5 and 8 of plot 17 amended map Lakeview; $10.

February 17, 04—H A and Mabel L Dodge to Annie E Codoza (widow) and O P Wiggins, E Okd, SE Howard 162-6 NE Brooklyn av NE 40 by SE 130 lot 91 ppty Capital Hd Assn Brooklyn; $10.

November 27, 03—The Realty Syndicate (cptn) to Sadie D Tullett (widow), Okd Tp, lot 13 block C amended map Fairview tract; $10.

February 18, 04—James A Johnson admr Estate Sarah A Hill to Rod W Church, Okd Tp, all int lot 90 Crocker tract; $915.

February 18, 04—Same to George S Bisbee, Bklyn Tp, all int lots 40 to 45 Bortree tract; $250.

February 12, 04—Plummer Improvement Co to Carrie E Josselyn wf Jock S, Berkeley, E Aetna 200 S Kearney S 50 by E 135; $10.

February 16, 04—Leah F Mott (single) to Hubert Judge, Alameda, N Santa Clara av 87 E Everett E 45 by N 127 ptn lots 1 to 3 block 2 subdvn of Chipman blocks; $10.

February 11, 04—Bengta and N V Hanson to Marianna Vargas, Eden Tp, lots 7 and 8 block 47 (50x200 each) Petersen tract Haywards; $10.

September 29, 02—Kate May Dillon to Mary Ives Crocker, Murray Tp, und ½ int in foll'g—320 acres being W ½ of Sec 33 Tp 1 S R 3 E Ala and Contra Costa Co's; Murray Tp, 180 acres E ½ and NW ¼ of Sec 35 Tp 1 S R 3 E same; Murray Tp, 139.52 acres being all tract Sec 5 640 acres being all Sec 17 and 640 acres being all Sec 29 Tp 4 S R 4 E Ala and San Joaquin Co's; Murray Tp, 140 acres being all Sec 21, 160 acres being E ½ of NE ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼ of Sec 22 640 acres being all Sec 23, 648.45 acres being all tract Sec 19 and 1280 acres being all Secs 21 and 23 Tp 5 S R 3 E Ala and Santa Clara Co's; Murray Tp, 640 acres being all Sec 21 Tp 5 S R 4 E Ala and Santa Clara Co's; Murray Tp, 925.66 acres being all tract Sec 19 Tp 5 S R 5 E in Ala, Santa Clara, Stanislaus and San Joaquin Co's; ppty out of Co the und ½ int hereby conveyed cont'g in aggregate 6053.80½ acres; Murray Tp, quitclaims all int in same, QCD; $10.

September 29, 02—Mary L and Henry J Crocker to Kate May Dillon, Murray Tp, und ½ int in foll'g 320 acres being E ½ Sec 33 Tp 1 S R 3 E Ala and Contra Costa Co's; Murray Tp, 160 acres being SW ¼ of Sec 35 same; Murray Tp, 640 acres being all Sec 17 Tp 3 S R 4 E Ala and San Joaquin Co's; Murray Tp, 240 acres being S ½ of NW ¼ N ½ SE ¼ of SW ¼ SW ¼ of SE ¼ of Sec 23 Tp 5 S R 1 E Ala and Santa Clara Co's; Murray Tp, 1942.08 acres being all tract Sec 3 and all Secs 11 and 13 Tp 5 S R 4 E Ala and San Joaquin Co's; Murray Tp, 931.20 acres being all tract Sec 19 and 640 acres being all Sec 23 Tp 5 S R 4 E Ala and Santa Clara Co's; Murray Tp, ppty out of Co sd und ½ int cont'g in aggregate 4180.96 acres etc, QCD; $10.

February 15, 04—Leon and Marie Thevenin (wife) to Hester J Leonard, wife Ralph, Oakland, SW Pearl 44 NW Oakland av NW 44 SW 115.47 SE 44.67 NE 107.75 lot 2 block F map No 3 Flint tract; $10.

February 16, 04—R J McMullen (single) to Holcomb Land Co (corporation), Oakland, N 55th (Shasta) 80 E Genoe E 80 by N 135, lots 25 and 26, block T Alpine tract; $10.

January 27, 04—John Mincle (single) to Louisa Perazzo, wife Jacob, Oakland S 56th 105 W Myrtle W 45 S 100 E 25 N 60 E 20 N 70, block 638 Boardman's map; $1.75.

December 1, 03—J E and Elsie Anna McElrath to George Sterling, Oakland, 3 acres NE Sutter and Genoe thence E 558.84 N 234 SW 553.84 S 248 to beginning portion plot 45 Kellogs map survey Ros V and D Peralta etc; $10.

February 18, 04—E C and Sarah T Roelofson (wife) to J M Shannon, Oakland, N 4th 125 W Washington W 50 by N 100 lots 25 and 26, block 44 Kellersbergers map; $10.

February 17, 04—Jos Wohlfrom, Chas and Matilda Klanbt (wife) to H M Maxwell, Oakland, N Grant or 41st 100 E Linden E 117-6 by N 100 lot 2 and portion lot 1, map Mulikin tract portion lots 32 and 36 etc; $10.

February 15, 04—Howard K and Mattie E Barnes to same, Oakland, W Telegraph av 20 N 40th N 30 by W 100 portion lot 1 Montgomery tract; $10.

January 25, 04—Isabella Montell Rogers (single) to Nathan Rogers (brother), Oakland, N W 14th 75 W Filbert W 50 by N 100, block 590 Gulnde tract; $10.

February 18, 04—H P and Laura B Nelson (wife) to Adelme de Walt Reynolds, Berkeley, S Carlton 245 E Grant S130 by W 41.25, block H map Crystal Spring tract; $485.

January 20, 04—Wm L T Krug and Adeline L Krug to Wm Henry Krug, Berkeley, re-record 982 d 167, N Oregon 200 W McGee W 40 by N 135 portion lot 6, block 6 map State University Hd Assn No 3; $10.

February 16, 04—Emily Fischer to Marie C Imbert, Berkeley, E 6th 200-2 N Delaware N 46 by E 115, portion lot 21 block 85, map tract B Berkeley L and T I Assn; $10.

February 18, 04—Mary Benjamin (single) to Elizaveth Scammon, wife Justin, Brooklyn Tp, W Boston av 80.77 N Palmetto st N 49 by W 80, lot 40, block A Prospect Hill tract, Fruitvale; $10.

February 13, 04—Geo L and Louise Plummer to I P Plummer, Brooklyn Tp, lots 17 to 19, block O map Laurel Grove Park; $10.

February 16, 04—J A and Vannie L Cole (wife) to Millie D Hoffmann, Brooklyn Tp, lot 2 Forest Park tract Fruitvale; $10.

December 8, 03—Mason Carnes (widower) to Wm Hammond Jr, Alameda, S Railroad (Central) av 160 W Prospect (8th) W 160 by S 185, portion Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract; $10.

February 18, 04—Robt E and Ella C Williams to Katherine P De Lancey, Eden Tp, 6.287 acres beginning at point on NE line County road San Leandro to Haywards 4.42 chains SE from W corner of .735 of an acre piece described in deed to Robert Goodwin 142 d 137, thence NE 9.08 chains NW 4.42 chains NE 7.50 chains SE 45½ links NE 10.54 chains SW 25.44 chains NW 58 links to beginning portion San Lorenzo road; $10

MORTGAGES.

February 17, 04—Eline and Thos L Spanggaard to Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank, Brooklyn Tp, SE 26th av 510 SW E-14th SW 30 SE 120.40 NE 30 etc NW 120.58, lot 12, block 1 revised map Eden Park 1 year; $600.

February 16, 04—Carrie E and Joel S Josselyn to S F and Suburban Home B Co, Berkeley, same as in deed from Plummer Improvement Co Install; $350.

January 22, 04—Mary McCourt, wife Geo to Annie E Gale (widow) East Oakland, SE 8th av 35 SW 22d SW 30 by SE 100, block 132 Clinton 2 years 10 per cent; $1000.

July 7, 03—Sarah T and E T Robinson to Victoria E Morse (widow), East Oakland, same as in deed from Morse to Robinson, 5 years; $400.

February 11, 04—Henry A and Sophie Fieddermann or Feddermann (wife) to Catherine Gading, Eden Tp, 9.856 acres beginning at point on W line County road San Leandro to San Lorenzo disant NW 1.98 chains and NW 11.51 chains from NE Mrs Stanzel's lands, thence NW 7.98 chains by SW 12.35 chains being lot 3 partition map lands Leonard Stone estate 1 year 7 per cent; $2400.

February 17, 04—Hubert Judge to P J Kirby, Alameda, N Santa Clara av 87 E Everett E 45 by N 125 1 year 8 per cent; $1800.

February 17, 04—H M Maxwell to Vincenso Deviancezi, Oakland, as in deed from Jos Wohlfrom et als 1 year 8 per cent; $1750.

February 8, 04—Harriet E Turnbull (single) to C L Goddard, Oakland, N corner Moss and Oakland avs NW 126.65 by NE 35, lot 12, block H map resub blocks G and H of Flint tract, portion Oakland Heights 1 year 8½ per cent; $2500.

February 18, 04—Katherine R and P W De Lancey to Bank of Haywards, Eden Tp, as in deed from Ella C Williams etc and has 1 year 7½ per cent; $2500.

February 16, 04—Hester J Leonard, wife Ralph to Leon Thevenin, Oakland, as in deed from Leon Thevenin et ux 2 years 7 per cent; $1400.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

February 16, 04—Mary Louise Schlam to F B Lloyd agent of American Bonding Co of Baltimore, Alameda, to secure bond of Hugo V Schlam SE Broadway 583-4 SW Central av SW 33-4 by SE 140 ptn lots 15 and 16 maps subdvn Hays and Caperton tract; $300.

February 11, 04—Sarah T and E C Robinson to R J McMullen and W C Moody trs State Savings Bank, E Okd, same as in deed to Robinson; $400.

February 9, 04—Mabel B or Mable B Fletcher to Isaac L Requa and W W Garthwaite trs Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, N W 10th 36-8 W Cypress W 30 by N 100 block 558 map 8th st tct; $1215.

February 16, 04—Mary and Adam McAuley to William G Henshaw and C E Palmer trs Union Savings Bank, Oakland, beg at pt in center Temescal creek distant 165 N on in at r a fm N 48th th up center creek 50 ft in straight in parallel with Shattuck st E to W Shattuck S 50 W parallel with 48th to beg block 2121 Alden tract at Temescal; Oakland, W Shattuck at intrn with in dvdg lots 5 and 6 W 122-3 S 25 E 130 N 26-2 block 2121 same map; $1400.

June 12, 04—Dell C and F J Woodward and as attorney to same, E Okd, N cor E-12th and 5th av NW 75 by NE 100; E Okd, W cor 5th av and E-14th SW 100 by NW 70 block 48 San Antonio; $2200.

February 12, 04—August and Mary Ebert to same, Oakland, S Stanley 120.10 E Grove E 40.6 S 102.73 W 40.6 N 102.33 lot 3 block 8 map McKee tract in plot 46 V and D Peralta Ro; $420.

February 16, 04—William Hammond Jr to J E Baker and Charles E Tabor trs Alameda Savings Bank, Alameda, same as in deed from Mason Carnes; $3500.

February 17, 04—Robert S and A H Gee (wf) to same, Alameda, E Verdi 325 S Railroad av S 50 by E 173-2 lot 55 Encinal Park tract; $1500.

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Store	23 @24
California Storage	Nominal
Eastern	Nominal

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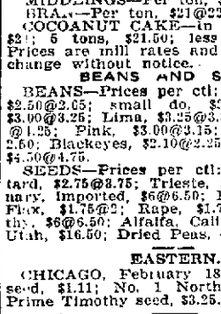

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY BY SOLE REFEREE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

ALICE A. DOANE, et al., Plaintiffs, vs. W. C. PARSONS, et al., Defendants. No. 18,373 Dept. 2.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY BY SOLE REFEREE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain interlocutory decree of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, Department No. Two thereof, duly given and made on the 29th day of May, 1903, and duly entered in Judgment Book No. 50, at page 40, in the office of the Clerk of said Court on the 6th day of February, 1904, in that certain action pending in said Superior Court, wherein Alice A. Doane, et al., are plaintiffs, and W. C. Parsons, et al., are defendants, and numbered 18,373 upon the Register of said Court, and in pursuance of an order of sale duly given and made in the said action on the 6th day of February, 1904, the undersigned, J. B. Lanktree, the duly appointed, qualified and acting sole referee in said action to make sale of the real property in said interlocutory decree and order of sale, and hereinafter particularly described, will sell at public auction, at the front door of the Court House of the said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, on Saturday, the 5th day of March, 1904, at 12 o'clock Noon of said day, to the highest bidder for cash, lawful money of the United States, subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, all the right, title, and interest of the parties to the said action, and each of said parties, whether present or future, vested or contingent, or otherwise, and any and all right to which they, or either of them, may hereafter become entitled in or to all that certain lot of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Webster street, distant thereon 131 feet southerly from the northeast corner of Webster and First streets; thence southerly along said easterly line of Webster street to the North harbor line of Oakland harbor, as established by the United States Government; thence easterly along said north harbor line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly measured at right angles from the easterly line of Webster street; thence northerly and parallel to Webster street to a point 183 3-10 feet southerly, measured at right angles from the northerly line of First street; thence northwesterly in a straight line to a point which is distant 25 feet easterly, measured at right angles from the easterly line of Webster street, and 131 feet southerly measured at right angles from the northerly line of First street; thence westerly and parallel to First street, 25 feet to the point of commencement.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

Cash, in lawful money of the United States, ten per cent (10%) of the purchase price to be paid to the referee on the day of sale on the falling of the hammer, or announcement of sale, and the balance when the sale is approved and confirmed by said Superior Court; instruments of sale to be at purchaser's expense.

Dated, February 12th, 1904.

J. B. LANKTREE, Sole Referee.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Michael Murphy, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Michael Murphy, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at the office of H. E. Heineman, atty-at-law, No. 124 Sansome St., San Francisco, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Michael Murphy, deceased.

ELLEN MURPHY, Administratrix of the estate of Michael Murphy, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, Feb. 5th, 1904.

LEGAL.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of George Moore, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of George Moore, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at his office, room 13, ninth floor, Mills Building, N. E. corner of Bush and Montgomery streets, San Francisco, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of George Moore, deceased.

BARTHOLOMEW NOYES, Administrator of the estate of George Moore, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, February 8, 1904.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that under and pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sacramento, in an action numbered 8788, wherein J. C. Devine is plaintiff and Union Building and Loan Association, a corporation, and others, are defendants, made on the 30th day of November, 1901, the undersigned, as receiver and trustee of said Union Building and Loan Association, will sell at public auction, at the front door of the Broadway entrance to the County Court House, in the City of Oakland, California, on Saturday, the twelfth (12th) day of March, 1904; at 12 o'clock, noon, the following described real property situated in the County of Alameda, State of California, to-wit:—

Lots numbered one hundred fifty (150), one hundred sixty-eight (168), one hundred sixty-nine (169), and one hundred seventy (170), in Block or Subdivision twenty-two (22), lot number one hundred seventy-one (171) in Blocks or Subdivisions twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23), Lots numbered one hundred seventy-two (172), one hundred seventy-three (173), one hundred seventy-four (174), one hundred seventy-five (175) and one hundred seventy-six (176), in Block or Subdivision twenty-three (23), Lots numbered one hundred eighty-one (181), one hundred eighty-two (182), one hundred eighty-three (183), one hundred eighty-four (184), one hundred eighty-five (185), and one hundred eighty-six (186), in Block or Subdivision twenty-four (24), lots numbered sixteen (16), seventeen (17), and eighteen (18), in Block or Subdivision twenty-one (21), Lots numbered thirty-five (35) and thirty-seven (37) in Block or Subdivision twenty (20), lots numbered thirty-seven (37), thirty-eight (38), fifty-four (54), fifty-five (55) and fifty-six (56) in Block or Subdivision nineteen (19), Lots numbered one hundred forty-four (144), one hundred forty-five (145), and one hundred forty-six (146), in Block or Subdivision twenty-seven (27), Lots numbered one hundred forty-seven (147) and one hundred fifty-one (151), partly in Block or Subdivision twenty-two (22), and partly in Block or Subdivision number twenty-seven (27), and Lot number one hundred six (106), located partly in Block or Subdivision twenty-nine (29), and partly in Block or Subdivision thirty (30), all in Resubdivision of Peralta Park Addition to the town of Berkeley, as per map of the Resubdivision of Peralta Park, Berkeley, Alameda County, California, April 1893, filed in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda, August 29, 1895.

Terms and Conditions of Sale: The property will be sold as a whole or in subdivisions, and any sale made will be subject to confirmation by said court. No sale will be made on credit, but all the property will be sold for cash in gold coin of the United States, payable ten per cent at time of sale and balance on confirmation by the court.

Dated this 3d day of February, 1904.

THOMAS W. O'NEIL, Receiver and Trustee of Union Building and Loan Association, a corporation.

ALBERT M. JOHNSON AND HIRAM W. JOHNSON, Mills Building, San Francisco, Attorneys for Receiver and Trustee.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY BY SOLE REFEREE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

ALICE A. DOANE ET AL., Plaintiffs, vs. JOHN D. DAMERON ET AL., Defendants. No. 18,377. Dept. 2.

Notice of sale of real property by sole referee.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain interlocutory decree of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, Department No. Two thereof, duly given and made on the 29th day of May, 1903, and duly entered in Judgment Book No. 48, at page 477, in the office of the Clerk of said Court, on the 6th day of February, 1904, in that certain action pending in said Superior Court, wherein Alice A. Doane et al., are plaintiffs, and John D. Dameron, et al., are defendants, and numbered 18,377 upon the Register of said Court, and in pursuance of an order of sale duly given and made in the said action on the 6th day of February, 1904, the undersigned, J. B. Lanktree, the duly appointed, qualified and acting sole referee in said action to make sale of the real property in said interlocutory decree and order of sale, and hereinafter particularly described, will sell at public auction, at the front door of the Court House of the said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, on Saturday, the 5th day of March, 1904, at 12 o'clock noon of said day, to the highest bidder for cash, lawful money of the United States, subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, all the right, title and interest of the parties to the said action, and each of the said parties, whether present or future, vested or contingent, or otherwise, and any and all right to which they or either of them, may hereafter become entitled in or to all that certain lot of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the intersection of the North Harbor line of Oakland Harbor, as established by the United States Government, with a line parallel to and distant 250 feet easterly measured at right angles from the easterly line of Webster street; thence running northerly and parallel to Webster street to a point distant 369 feet southerly measured at right angles from the northerly line of First street; thence at right angles westerly 100 feet; thence at right angles northerly 150 feet; thence northwesterly in a straight line to a point which is distant 100 feet easterly measured at right angles from the easterly line of Webster street, and 188.8 feet southerly measured at right angles from the northerly line of First street; thence southerly and parallel to Webster street to the said North Harbor line; thence easterly along said North Harbor line to the point of commencement.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

Cash, in lawful money of the United States, ten per cent (10 per cent) of the purchase price to be paid to the referee on the day of sale on the falling of the hammer, or announcement of sale, and the balance when the sale is approved and confirmed by said Superior Court; instruments of sale to be at purchaser's expense.

Dated, February 12th, 1904.

J. B. LANKTREE, Sole Referee.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of James P. Coleman, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of James P. Coleman, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at the office of the administratrix, 1380 13th avenue, East Oakland, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of James P. Coleman, deceased.

JOHANNA DWYER, Administratrix of the estate of James P. Coleman, deceased.

Dated Oakland, Jan. 28, 1904.

HUGO K. ASHER and OTTO IRVING WISE, 212 Sansome street, San Francisco, Attorneys for Administratrix.

Notices to Creditors.

Oakland, February 15th, 1904.

The Columbia Cloak and Suit Company (incorp.) being about to dispose of its cloak and suit business now situated at 459 Thirteenth street, Oakland, California, notifies its creditors to present their bills on or before the 21st day of February, 1904, for payment to the undersigned Columbia Cloak and Suit Co. (incorp.), at 459 13th street.

COLUMBIA CLOAK & SUIT CO. Per M. E. MAYER, President.

LEGAL.

Order Setting Time and Place of Hearing Petition for Sale of Real Estate.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the application of "The California Chinese Mission," a benevolent corporation, for permission to sell real estate.

The petition of "The California Chinese Mission," a benevolent corporation, for permission to sell certain real estate, hereinafter particularly described, having been this day presented to a Judge of this Court:

It is hereby ordered that Friday, the 19th day of February, 1904, at ten o'clock a. m. on said day, and the Court room of Department No. 4 of this Court, in the Court House in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, be and the same are hereby appointed as the time and place for the hearing of said petition.

It is further ordered that notice of the said time and place of the hearing of said petition be given by a publication of a copy of this order in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, for five (5) days prior to said day of hearing.

The real estate desired to be sold, and hereinabove referred to, is described as follows:

That certain lot of land in the City of Berkeley, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Shattuck avenue, distant thereon sixty and 6-100 (60.06) feet southerly from the southern line of Berkeley way, and running thence southerly along said line of Shattuck avenue forty-nine and 26-100 (49.26) feet; thence westerly, parallel with Berkeley way, one hundred and five and 50-100 (105.50) feet, more or less, to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn southerly from and at right angles to Berkeley way, from a point on the southern line of said Berkeley way, distant one hundred and thirteen and 30-100 (113.30) feet westerly from the western line of Shattuck avenue; and thence at right angles northerly forty-nine (49) feet, more or less, to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn from the point of commencement, parallel with Berkeley way; and thence at right angles easterly, along said parallel line, one hundred and nine (109) feet, more or less, to the point of commencement. Being portion of lots numbers 57 and 58, as laid down and delineated upon a certain map entitled "Map of the College Tract, Berkeley, subdivided January, 1890," filed January 31st, 1890, in the County Recorder's office of Alameda County.

Dated February 11th, 1904.

F. B. OGDEN, Judge.

HAVEN & HAVEN, Claus Spreckels Building, San Francisco, Attorneys for Petitioner.

NOTICE.

The following unredeemed pledges left with Treager Loan Office will be sold at auction at 8:30 a. m., February 23, 1904, at 862 Washington street, Oakland, Alameda county, California.

J. F. BAUMGARTNER, Auctioneer.

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Osgood Brothers place so much confidence in the power of Hyomei to cure catarrh and other diseases of the throat and lungs that they sell it under their personal guarantee to refund the money to any purchaser in case it fails to give satisfaction. They take all the risk themselves and Hyomei costs you absolutely nothing unless it does you good.

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Many of Osgood Brothers' customers who have suffered with catarrh since childhood have been cured completely by this scientific remedy.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs $1 and consists of an inhaler that can be carried in the purse or pocket, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei. Extra bottles can be obtained for 50 cents, making it a most economical remedy for the cure of catarrh.

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They feel sure that the use of Hyomei for this purpose will make many new friends for the treatment. If it does not give satisfaction, the money paid will be returned promptly and without questions.

The complete Hyomei outfit, consisting of an inhaler that can be carried in the purse or pocket, a bottle of Hyomei and a medicine dropper, costs only one dollar.

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Osgood Bros. have so much faith in the power of Hyomei to cure catarrh that they are selling it under their personal guarantee to refund the money if it does not give positive relief.

SPEAR'S NEIGHBORS RESENT SCURRILOUS ATTACKS.

They Hold Mass Meeting in West Berkeley and Denounce the Hirelings of the Produce Ring.

Whereas, Charles H. Spear, our neighbor and fellow townsman, has resided among us for the last twenty years, and

Whereas, during all that time we have known him to be a trustworthy, reliable and progressive citizen, and

Whereas, by his natural fitness and worthiness for position of public trust, had been elected by his fellow citizens to the office of Town Clerk of our town, and during his incumbency of that office, covering a period of eight years, had proved himself to be responsible and true to his trust, and

Whereas, as a further recognition of his integrity and ability was elected to the office of County Recorder of Alameda county, a position he fulfilled with distinction and honor, and

Whereas, through his progressiveness and worth, has been appointed by our worthy Governor to the responsible position of President of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners, and

Whereas, through the fearless discharge of his duties as such officer, has incurred the enmity of the fruit and produce combine, an organization banded together to cinch both the producer and consumer, and

Whereas, it has come to light, that through the agency of this organization, a band of irresponsible and notorious characters, styling themselves the "Anti-Spear Club," has been organized, and is being sustained and maintained for the sole purpose of defaming the character and good name of our esteemed fellow townsman, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we condemn, as vicious and contemptible, the vile and slanderous statements and publications that are being put in circulation by this band of hired emissaries, for the sole purpose of injuring the character and standing of a public official who has the courage and manhood to execute the law and the duties of his office as he finds them; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the newspapers for publication.

BERKELEY, Feb. 19.—The above resolutions were unanimously adopted last night at an enthusiastic and representative gathering of citizens who strongly repudiated the anonymous attacks that have recently been made against Charles H. Spear, president of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners. The attendance at the meeting was largely predominated by those who had known Mr. Spear during his boyhood days in West Berkeley although there was a large representation from other sections of the city. The session was marked with strong and sincere expressions of confidence in Commissioner Spear and the meeting resulted in a complete vindication of his character against the attacks that have been made on him.

The point was forcibly brought out during the evening that the anonymous allegations were undoubtedly inspired by the members of the produce trust whom Mr. Spear had curbed while carrying out the letter of the law.

One by one the charges that have been covertly brought against Spear were probed to the bottom and shown to be groundless and false. A majority of those present at the meeting were conversant with all of Mr. Spear's actions at the time alleged occurences were said to have taken place in this city and frequent expression was made to the effect that the charges were untrue.

TOWN TRUSTEE DOWD.

It was shortly after 8 o'clock that Thomas Dowd, a member of the Town Board of Trustees called the meeting to order in Concordia Hall. He said that the session had been called for the purpose of repudiating the attacks made against Charles Spear by a so-called paper known as the "Arrow" and to give Mr. Spear's friends the opportunity of answering the allegations.

Daniel McLaughlin was chosen to be the permanent chairman of the evening and Charles Geirrine was named to be the secretary.

"I am glad to be given the opportunity to preside over a meeting where a defense is to be made in behalf of a friend," said Mr. McLaughlin in taking the chair. "An infamous libel has been perpetrated not only on a public official but upon the good name of a citizens of our own community and while some have said that no notice should be paid to the anonymous declarations I believe that it is time Spear's friends showed their hand to set forth the correct facts of the matter. Let us present our knowledge of the case and then let the people act as the jury. Let the people hear the evidence on both sides, weight the facts and render their verdict."

Chairman McLaughlin then went on to say that there were a number of prominent men in the audience who had known Mr. Spear for a number of years and that he would call on them for statements as their acquaintance with him.

Town Trustee Dowd, who was the first speaker called on, declared he was gratified to see so many prominent citizens in attendance at the meeting. He then went on to pay a splendid tribute to the character of Charles Spear whom he declared had not only the respect of the western portion of the city, where he had passed the days of his youth, but of the entire community.

J. T. RENAS SPEAKS.

The declaration was made by J. T. Reans that while all the attacks made in the "Arrow" were groundless, libellous and malicious, and would not do one iota of harm toward the person for whom they were intended, that the insinuations should be strongly repudiated nevertheless.

An outline of the charges that had been brought against Mr. Spear in the circulars that have been spread broadcast was made by Chairman McLaughlin.

TOWN TRUSTEE HOFF.

"I returned home from business exceedingly tired," said Town Trustee Christian Hoff "and had fully made up my mind to stay in during the evening but when I learned that a mass meeting had been called in the interest of Charlie Spear nothing could keep me away.

PRODUCE RING.

"There is not the least doubt in the world that the defaming circulars that have been issued are the offspring of the ring in San Francisco that was thrown out of power by the Harbor Commission when it enforced the law of the State. Mr. Spear is an upright man; he has done his duty fearlessly and now his opponents are making a desperate but unavailing attempt to blacken his character."

EX-MARSHAL LLOYD.

One of the strongest replies to the attacks made in the "Arrow" was outlined by Richard Lloyd, a prominent member of the bar and a former town marshal and town trustee of Berkeley.

"I have known Mr. Spear for twenty-nine years," declared Mr. Lloyd and during all that time I have always known him to be upright and honest. And I say all this despite the fact that we very often differed in our political views."

In referring to a photographic copy of a complaint charging Mr. Spear with battery against his father, Mr. Lloyd declared that at the time of the incident Mr. Spear did not lay violent hands on his father The charge that followed was inspired through the fact that in the early days of the local justice courts were operated for the fees that were in them.

"While I was a member of the Board of Trustees, Spear was the clerk," continued Attorney Lloyd "and I can truthfully say that I had the utmost confidence in him and that it was never betrayed."

ATTORNEY H. V. J. SWAIN.

In a splendid burst of oratory, H. V. J. Swain, one of the leading attorneys of the city declared that while he did not know Mr. Spear personally he had always heard good reports regarding him.

"I have read the allegations against Mr. Spear and I regard them as being exceedingly silly," remarked Mr. Swain.

THRUST AT ADMINISTRATION.

"This attack against Spear is also a thrust at the administration," said Swain, "and I am glad to see such a display of enthusiasm of citizens who are here to come to the defense of their neighbor and friend. I don't know as I ever saw quite such a silly attack as this attempted diatribe against Spear. The statements in the 'Arrow' constitute criminal libel against one of the most exalted men in the State but it will all react as a boomerang to its authors. want to go on record as saying that there is not a word of truth in this job-lot of allegations. There is no doubt but what the attacks have emmanated from the produce ring in San Francisco which was prevented from driving the small dealer to the wall. I believe that the people of Berkeley should get together and make a big demonstration on behalf of Mr. Spear. We all have confidence in him and the next thing we want to do is to display it.

"Upon this occasion I am reminded of Decator's famous toast:

"'Our country, may she always be in the right!
But right or wrong, our country!'

Tonight's adaptation to the toast should be:

"'Charlie Spear; may he always be in the right!
But right or wrong, Our Charlie!'

ANONYMOUS ATTACKS.

"Now if anybody wants to make an attack against Charlie Spear let him come into the open and make it. This idea of sneaking behind the pages of a scurrilous sheet is all wrong."

SPEAR'S OLD FRIEND.

Edward Spear, a well-known business man of the Pacific Coast whose home is West Berkeley said that he had known Spear since 1884 and during all that time he had not known him to do a dishonorable thing.

"Charles Spear is a self-made man who has the confidence of the entire community," he said, 'and as far as I am concerned I will say with him no matter what the 'Arrow' says.

KNOWN FROM BOYHOOD.

"I have known Charles Spear since he was a lad of 16 years of age," said Charles Hadlen, the well-known West End merchant, "and as I have known every act of his life I want to publicly declare every attack made upon him as being absolutely false and malicious. Anybody who knows Charlie Spear as well as I do will always stay with him."

Thomas Ayden, another of Spear's old-time friends characterized that attack made against him as being ungrounded and false.

Paul Nickelmann, another West End business man, had a good word to say for Spear.

C. D. MALONEY'S TRIBUTE.

"They say that the best way to become acquainted with a man's character is to become a close associate of his," remarked C. D. Maloney, "During my entire acquaintance with Mr. Spear I have never known him to do a wrong act. There is no doubt but what the fight against him is being made by the men whom he opposed along the water front in San Francisco when he upheld the rights of the small produce dealers who are now being forced out of business.

"I am personally conversant with the fact that members of the produce ring are behind the attacks on Charles Spear," continued Maloney. "The remark was openly made by one of the members of the produce trust that he had $50,000 to spend in combatting Spear. Another of the men who is assisting in the nefarious fight has his protograph adorning the rogues gallery."

SPEAR'S CHARACTER.

A. S. Anderson said that it would not be difficult to pick between Spear's character and those of the men who are fighting him.

James Hamilton announced that he had known Spear sixteen years and the attacks that had been made against his character were all wrong.

WANTED STRONG RESOLUTIONS.

It was the opinion of Anderson and a number of the members present at the meeting that the resolutions as first presented were not strong enough and upon a unanimous vote sections were added.

Gracious tributes expressing satisfaction with Spear were made by Timothy Murray, Samuel Wilkes and Arthur O'Keefe.

TO CIRCULATE PETITION.

It was decided to place the resolutions expressing confidence in circulation and the following committee was appointed to secure signatures to the document: Messrs Thomas Dowd, Sam Fisher and A. James.

The meeting was closed with unanimous expression of good will toward Harbor Commissioner Spear and declarations of intention to stamp out the falsehoods that have been placed in circulation.

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UNITARIAN SCHOOL FOR OAKLAND.

Colonel John P. Irish, president of the board of trustees of the First Unitarian Church, announces for that body that that church will be the home of the new training school for Unitarian ministers. The dean of the new school has already been chosen, but his name will not be made public until the formal acceptance of the position is received.

The institution will be opened soon, as the funds necessary for its financial support have, through the efforts of Rev. George W. Stone, acting pastor of the First Unitarian Church, been fully provided for by the Unitarians residing in this city.

The establishment of a Unitarian training school in Oakland will make this city the center of Unitarian education on the Pacific coast and will greatly strengthen the local church.

It has also been announced by the board of trustees that the $7300 indebtedness on the church has been raised, through the energetic work of Rev. Stone, and that a resolution has been adopted asking Mr. Stone to become the permanent pastor of the church. The American Unitarian Association has been requested to give its consent to this arrangement should Mr. Stone accept the invitation.

A resolution has also been unanimously adopted expressing the gratitude of the church to Rev. Minot J. Savage of New York, Mrs. Frances A Hackney and Rev. George W. Stone for their assistance in raising the debt of the church.

REV. EGERTON R. YOUNG.

The adventures of a hero squad to Livingston will be told in the First M. E. Church this evening. The lecturer, Dr. Egerton R. Young, spent over twenty years among the Cree and Saltsaux Indians in Northwest Canada and succeeded in transforming their lives to a wonderful degree. The title of his lecture is "Perils Oft by Canoe and Dog Train."

Dr. Young is a rare humorist and brilliant delineator of character and nature. The lecture will be free to all, though an offering will be taken for Dr. Young's missionary work.

DELCASSE NOT RESIGNED.

PARIS, February 19.—There is no truth in the rumor that Foreign Minister Delcasse has resigned. The report began to circulate in the corridors of the Chamber of Deputies and was immediately denied. Premier Combes and the other Ministers were present at the Foreign Office at noon today. There was not the slightest indication of a change in the Ministry.

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RACE PATRON DEAD.

MILTON, Mass., February 19.—Malcolm Forbes, widely known as a patron of light harness racing and as a yachtsman, died today at his residence here. Mr. Forbes had been suffering from internal malady for about a week. Two operations performed as a last resort failed. Mr. Forbes was nearly 60 years old. He was very wealthy and for many years was a heavy shareholder in the American Bell Telephone Company and other properties. As a horseman he was prominent, both as an owner and breeder of famous racing stock, and as a yachtsman he had actively participated in international cup races.

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